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Station No. 36
Second Coast Guard District.
April 17 – 1917.

C. F. Higgins. 𝍸 ||||
~~M. F. Oliver.~~ ||||
F. F. Silvia. 𝍸 𝍸
J. Francis. 𝍸 |||
~~E. G. Rich~~ |||
~~J J Jason.~~ 𝍸 ||||
J George. 𝍸 ||||
~~L A Howe 𝍸~~
~~M Joseph |||~~
~~O J Miller |~~
A McDennis 𝍸 |
~~J L Eaton ||~~
G S Williams 𝍸 |
~~H D Lawson~~ ||
H Carlson ||
F Crowley |

April 26 - 1917

SENDER.	SIGNAL	MEANING
M. F. Oliver Surfman No 2	M K F	Vessel indicated to examine strange ships and report.
	C N X	To the
	O.Q.H	Head of department
	J I	Any letters or papers from
	L.J.G.	Enemys fleet or squadron
	U N K	Regarding
	E.P.K	Any opposition to or from
	L.J.M	Enemys torpedo boat
	G.T.K	How many torpedo boats passed in sight
	B.A.E.G.	Chatham Mass
	X L. T.	Report by telegraph
	A.Q.O	To rendezvous at
	B.A.G.F	Provincetown
	K.J.	Anchor instantly
	F.V.R	Bar can not be crossed until
	Y.V.E	High water
	T.J.I	Pilot has been sent to you
	P.N.F	I have instructions
	B.Q.A	From your
	S.Y.I	Owner
	Code over E.	Signals to follow are alphabetical
	M	M
	Code over TF	End of word or dot between initials

SENDER.	SIGNAL	MEANING
M. F. Oliver Surfman No 2	F	F
	Code over F	End of word or dot between initials
	O.L.I.V	Oliv } Oliver
	E R	er
	Code over G	Alphabetical signals are ended
	Code under B.F.	26
	J.E.X.	Commercial
	H.Q.N	Street
	B.C.G.F	Provincetown

32 Hoists Time 1 hour 10 Minutes

May 1 - 1917

SENDER.	SIGNAL	MEANING
Earl C Rich Surfman No 5	I.E.	I am going to signal the contents of an important teleg telegram to be communicated to you
	A.R.O.	S. by W ½ W
	Z.L.R	Wreck
	V.N.R	I have seen
	Code flag under Z.Y.	5,000,000.
	A.T.J	Dollar
	Y.Z.A	Unable to
	H.R.96.	Towing cable is damaged
	N.C.W	Crew sick
	I.S.N.	Case of smallpox
	W.J.O.	Same
	N.O.E	Dead
	Z.S.M	Whitehead Torpedo
	H.B.Q.	Bound to
	C M E	The
	A.Q.U.	East
	P.Y.I	Keep a sharp lookout.
	W.T.Z.	Respectfully
	Code flag over E.	
	E	E
	Code flag over F	
	L	L
	Code flag over F	
	S.M.A.L.	Smal

SENDER	SIGNAL	MEANING
Earl G Rich	L	L
Surfman No 5 Code flag	above G.	
	B.A.H.S.	Boston Mass
	N.J.P.V.	Steamship Herman Winter
	M.Q.	Engines completely disabled
Code flag under	U.F.	5
	A.W.O.	Mile
	A.Q.L	N.E.
	BCDW	Arro
	Y.E.	Want assistance.
	S.K.M	Notify.
	G.V.F.D.	Gresham C.G.C.
	X.W	I wish to be taken in tow
	C.H.O	to
	S.F.N	Nearest port
	M.B.U	Repairs of engine can not be done here
	W.C.G	Signed
Code flag	over E	
	L.O.R.E.	Love
	N.Z.O	nzo
Code flag	over F	
	M	M
Code flag	over F.	
	C.R.O.W	Crow

NAME	SIGNAL	[illegible]
E G Rich	E.L.	el
Surfman No 7	L.	l

Code flag over G

50 Hoists Time 1 hour 35 Minutes.

May 8 - 9.7

		MEANING
Joseph Francis Surfman No 4	U.C.	Report me by telegraph to my owners Mr.
	Code flag over 2	
	G.E.O	Geo
	Code flag over F	
	N.	N
	Code flag over F	
	B.O.W.L.	Bowl
	E.Y.	Ey
	Code flag under W.I.	58
	F.J.K.	Atlantic
	H.Q.N	Street
	A.B.E.D.	White Sea
	G.L.Y.	Lost all propeller blades
	C.J.O	Honla
	Q.T.M.	Like
	Y.D.R	Tug boat
	~~Code flag over~~ C.H.V.	My latitude is
	code flag over B.T.	42° latitude
	code flag over F.P.	56° longitude
	Y.G.A	Unable to
	J.X.V	Tow
	G.U.P.	Send boat to take off crew
	V.X.S.	Vessel indicated is sinking
	Code flag over M.	
	A.H.	17

[illegible]	SIGNAL	[illegible]
	Code flag over Q	
	R.A.U.	Last
	Code flag over M	
	B.U.	20
	Code flag over Q.	
	V.I.F.	Saved
	W.C.[illegible]	Signed
	Code flag over E	
	C	C.
	Code flag over F	
	F	F.
	Code flag over F	
	H.I.G.	Hig
	G.I.N.S.	give
	Code flag over G	
	H.W.C.	Captain

41 Hoists Time 1 hour 20 minutes.

Wm C Paine
Keeper.

May [illegible]

John J. Jacon,
Surfman No. [illegible]

Year 191
Code flag under V. J. 1,000
" " [illegible] 900
" " U. R. 17
1917

	MEANING
L.A.M	What time is dinner
H.R.Q.	Thursday
K.C.J	Deacember
Code flag	under
V.A	25
Code flag	under
U.T.	[illegible]
Code flag	under
U.R.	17
Code flag	over
L.B.	11
Code flag	over
M.V.	30 Minutes
O.A.H	I will give you
A.J.T.P.	Turkey
C.M.D.	And the
Code flag	over E.
C.R.A.M	Cram
B.E.R	ber
R.J.J.	ry
Code flag	over G.
N.C.Q.	Fixing
C.W.B	Will
B.H.A.	Be
F.I.U	at sea
Code flag	over

May 17 – 1917

SENDER	SIGNAL	MEANING
John J Jason Surfman No 6	D. E	Latitude 77°
	Code Flag over	
	G. Z.	Longitude 91°
	N. C. G.	Sigurd
	Code Flag over E.	
	B. E. R. T.	Bert
	H. Q. L. F.	Wolf
	Code flag over G	
	A. Z. C. H.	Washington D. C.

35 Hoists time 1 Hour.

1 Mistake by the Sender

May 22 - 1917

		MEANING
Frank F Silvia Surfman No 3	E. P.	The bank is encumbered with fishing boats
	L.G.M	Last spring.
	[illegible] G	End of May
	Code flag under V.E.	29
	Code [illegible] over B.T.	42° Latitude
	Code flag over [illegible]	30° Longitude
	A.R.Z.	W. S W ½ W
	N.V.W	Can you ride out the gale.
	N.I.M	Whole gale 10
	L.M.A	Doubtful
	N.U	Leak is gaining rapidly.
	I.V.F.	I will keep close to you during the night
	Code flag over C.H.	11 hours 5 a m
	Y.G.	Want a boat immediately
	E.T. ~~I.K.Q.~~	Boat is coming to your assistance
	I.L.R	All on board saved
	U.T.Z.	Respectfully
	H.W.C.	Captain
	N.V.B.	G.
	C.K.A	A.
	Code flag over E	
	P.O.	Po
	P.E.	pe

May 22 — 1917

A.U.N.Q Peru
A.U.N.Q. South America

25 Hoist Time 1 hour 8 Minutes.

May 3. - [illegible]

		MEANING
Joseph George [illegible]	N.B.X.	Have you sighted
	V.J.L.	Schooner
	K.R.H.T.	Agustine H. Babcock
	Code under V.A.	25
	A.W.N	Miles
	A.Q.L.	N.E.
	B.U.F.Z.	Race Point
	B.J.	Damaged rudder can not steer
Left at	X.Y.U.	Towed by or in tow of
	G.V.F.D.	[illegible]
	W.C.S	Report by signal
	B.A.H.J.	[illegible] Mass
	S.R.M.	Notify
	S.Y.I.	[illegible]
	[illegible] over E.	
	C.R.Q.T.	Cram
	W.E.L	wel
	L.	l
	Code over F	
	H.K.E.	Brother
	B.A.H.S.	Boston Mass
	N.O.G.	Signed
	Code over E	
	I	I
	Code over F	

May 31 — 1917

[illegible]	SIGNAL	[illegible]
Joseph George Jr Lineman No 7	M	M
	Codr over F	
	S.M. a.L.	Smal
	L.	L.
	Codr over G.	

30 Haiel time 1 hour.

June 4 – 1917

		MEANING
[illegible] surfman No 5	EPR –R.Q.X.	Have you met
	[illegible]	Any alteration to or from
	L.Z.B	Enemy is at sea
	3.Z.W.	If so
	S.R.M	Notify
	S.E.V	Naval station
	[illegible].R.H.V.	Charlestown Mass
	E.L.M	and they
	V.P.R	can [illegible]
	C.W.T	you
	J.U.H	Convoy
	X.V.C.	two
	J.E.G.	Take command of
	W.E.S.	Situation
	L.J.J.	Enemys gunboat
	B.Q.N	has
	B.H.U.	been
	N.B.T.	sighted
	C.J.L	in
	Code over B.C.	Latitude 250
	Long over D.Y.	Longitude 15°
	W.E.J.	Signed
	Code Flag over E	
	H	H.
	Code over F	
	B.	B.

June 4 – 1917

	SHIP	M
E. G. Rich Surfman No 3	Cedar ave St. S.H.O.W	Shaw

28 Word time 1 Hour.

1 mistake by Sender.

June 17 — [illegible]

		MEANING
M. F. Oliver	P.W.V.	Beginning of June
surfman No 2	C.M.E	The
	I.Y.Q.	Coast Guard Station
	C.D.S.	is
	[illegible].H.S.	Under
	S.E.Q.	Navy Department
	P.H.B.	Increase
	T.E.W.	Pay
	A.T.I.	10 cts
	C.G.X.	On
	V.I.Q.	Rations
	N.V.C.	Germany
	I.F.N.	Cancel
	D.X.H.	All
	W.B.T	Trouble
	Code flag over L.Q.	11 a.m.
	Code flag over H.Z.	6[illegible] Longitude
	Code flag over B.T.	44 latitude
	[illegible].S.M.	Buy
	C.X.Q.	A
	Q.P.G.	Liberty
	Q.X.S.	Loan
	G.Y.M.	Bond
	W.C.G.	Signed
	Y.R.Z.	W
	S.Y.T.	P

June 4th — 1877

[illegible]	SIGNAL	[illegible]
M. H. Oliver Linesman No 2	Codr Sagaver E P.A. J N Pain E e Codr Sagover 4 P.A. W. Keeper	

91 Hoist 1 hour and 20 Minutes

June 19 — 1917

		MEANING
[illegible] Francis	K.T.S.N.	Sch Charles [illegible]
Surfman No 4	V.C.P.	Passed a wreck
	Code over B.U.	Latitude 43°
	Code over [illegible]. U.	Longitude 80°
	O.W.U.	June
	Code flag over T.L	
	A.E.	15
	Code flag over Q.	
	C.Q.M.	Was or were
	S.N.J.	obstruction
	C.H.O.	to
	S.F.A	Navigation
	S.K.M.	Notify
	Q.Q.S.	Headquarters
	A.Z.C.H.	Washington D.C.
	N.C.G.	Signed
	F.N.C.	Capt
	Code flag over E	
	A.N.G.U	Angu
	S.	s
	Code flag over F.	
	M.C.	Mc
	Code flag over H	
	C.L.O.U.	Clou
	D.	d
	Code flag over G	

June 12 — [illegible]

	SIGNAL	
Joseph Francis Engineman No 4		

26 Hoist time 53 Minutes

June 26 - 1917

Sender	Signals	Meaning
F.F. Silvia	E.C.	What ship is that
Surfman No 3	K.M.F.	Forest Belle
	S.D.	Where are you bound
	B.A.D.J.	Gloucester Mass
		Do not approach the coast because
	E.T.N	it is mined
	O.U.H.	Your owner is here
	K.W.O	Desires me to tell you
	O.B.H	to Go
	B.A.G.R.	Weymouth Mass
	R.U.S	There are no mines laid
		Will you meet me on shore
	K.O.L.	to day.
	F. [illegible]	at
Left out code flag <	Code flag over K V.	5 P.M.
	D.T.G.	Your agent has suspended business
	L.P.W.	During war
	H.C.G	Signed
	Code flag over E	
	J.A.M.	Jam
	E.S.	Es
	Code Flag over F	
Left out <		Guy
	E.A.L	Pal
	[illegible]	ling
	E.R.	er.

June 26 - 1917

Sender	Signals	Meaning
F. F. Silvia Surfman No 3	A.Z.O.T.	New York City

24 Hoist 2 Mistakes time 50 Minutes.

July 3 - 1917

Sender	Signals	Meaning
Joseph George No 7	C.S.V.N.	Beginning of July
	U.J.Q.	Rations
	C.H.B.	will
	B.F.A.	be
	Code under P.U.	45
	[illegible]	[illegible] cent
	K.M.T.	Day
	K.M.G.O.	Sch Prestive
	C.D.I.	In
	Code over B.W.	45 latitude
	Code over G.T.	53 Longitude
	V.P.	Want a tug
	C.N.O.	To
	X.Y.J.	Tow
	B.X.D.	her
	C.M.O.	to
	B.A.H.S.	Boston Mass
	T.J.Y.	Can you inform me
	C.G.M.	Of
	[illegible]	Owner
	D.J.Y.	Address
	F.C.G.	Signed
	Code over E	
	A.	A
	Code over F	
	J.	J.

July 3 – 1917

Sender	Signal	Meaning
Joseph George	Code over	
	K.I.N.G	King
28	Hoist	time 55 Minutes

July 13 — 1907

Vessel	Signals	Meaning
E. [illegible]	H.Q.R.K.	Sch Mindoro
[illegible]	N.J.	In distress
	Code over F.U.	50
	[illegible]	Miles
	[illegible].Q.Y.	E.S.E
	B.R.N.	from
	Code over E	
	H.I.G.H	High
	L.A.N.D.	land.
	Code over F	
	L.I.G.H.	Ligh
	T.	t
	Code over F	
	C.A.P.E.	Cape
	Code over F	
	C.O.D.	Cod.
	Code over G.	
	C.D.I.	in
	Code over B.H	Latitude 30.
	Code over F.T.	Longitude 60
	C.J.U.	Would
	Q.T.M.	Like
	Y.F.P	Two
	X.V.I.	Tow
	G.R.H	Boats

Sender	Signals	Meaning
	K.C.J.	Crew
	W.L.M.	Will stand by you
	F.V.Q.G.	Signed
	Code over E	
	E.	E
	Code over F	
	L.	L
	Code over F	
	S.M.A.L.	Sirial
	L	L
	Code over G	
	H.W.C.	Capt.

37 Hoist Time 1 Hour 15 Minutes

July 17 – 1917

Sender	Signals	Meaning
Manuel H Olive No 2	V. Y.	What is the name of the signal station in sight
	H. U.	Can you forward my communication by telegraph
	B.A.H.V.	Charlestown Mass
	S.E.V.	Naval station.
	C.W.M.	July.
	Code under U.R.	17
	< Code under [illegible]	U.T. 19
	< Code under [illegible]	U.R. 17
	Code under U.R.	1917
	U. E.	Enemy is in sight
	Code under X.T.	94
	L.G.D. A.W.N	Miles
	A.S.I.	N W by W. ½ W
	B.P.N.	From
	A.C.K.Q.	Harg
	Code flag over R.B.	73° Latitude
	Code flag over J. Z.	166° Longitude
	~~C.W.B~~	~~Will Communicate in Cipher~~
	– H.B.	ask stranger if he will communicate
	– C.W.B.	Will
	– C.D.I	in
	Q.D.V.	Communicate in Cipher.
	= Y.Q.B.	Cipher
	R.U.E	Naval and Military news.
	N.C.G.	Signed
	Code flag over E	

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Sender	Signals	Meaning
~~Joseph George~~	JOHN	John
~~No 7~~	Code flag	over H
	G.I.V.E	Give
	E.N.	en
	Code flag	over I
	B.E.	Ber
	R.Y.	ry.
	Code flag	over G
	HWC	Captain

32 Hoist in 1 Hour

3-mistakes

[illegible] 26 — 1917

Sender	Signals	Meaning
John [illegible] Surfman No 6	C.L.	Can you assist
	L.B.V.	Disabled
	K.J.M.S	Sch Eva May
	B.H	Damaged or sprung mast can not carry sail
	P.K.E	Inform owners
	P.U.E	J
	L.X.G.	Emery.
	P.A.H.S.	Boston Mass
	H.Y.S	Cargo damaged
	V.K.	Want immediate instructions
	H.G.K.	Regarding perishable cargo
	V.C.G	Signed
	H.W.C	Captain.
	Code over E	
	J.O.H.N.	John
	Code over H.	
	S.M.I.T.	Smit
	H	h.
	Code over S.	

11 [illegible] Time 33 minutes.

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Sender	Signals	Meaning
Curtis & Higgins No 1 Surfman	N.R.X.	Have you sighted
	[illegible]	sch [illegible]
	Code under V.K.	35
	A.W.N	Miles
	A.Q. U	East
	C.G.M.	of
	B.A.G.Y.	Boston Light ship
	[illegible]	Damaged
	V.D.O.	Sails
	X.Y.U.	Towed by or in Tow of
	G.V.F.D.	Gresham
	W.C.S.	Reports by signals
	[illegible]K.M.	Notify
	S.Y.I.	Owners.
Left out	Code under U. I.	3
	C.G.N.	of
	N.C.[illegible]	Crew
	R.V.U.	Missing
	C.D.L	in
	Q.F.Z.	last
	N.V.S	Gale
	W.[illegible]	Signed
	H.W.C.	Capt
	Code over	&
	J.O.	Jo

July 31 — [illegible]

Sender	Signals	Meaning
C. H. Higgins	Code over H	
No 1 Surfman	G.E.Q.R.	Geor
	G.E	ge
	Code over H	
	J.R.	Jr
	Code over G	
	B.Q.G.H.	Provincetown Mass

32 Hoist / Mistake Time 45 Minutes

Aug 7 — 1917

Sender	Signals	Meaning
F. F. Silvia	G.R.C.Q	U. S. Paulding
Surfman No 3	V.Q.R	Will be sent
	C.N.O	to
	J.U.L	convoy
	C.N.T	you
	C.N.U	to
	B.A.H.S.	Boston Mass
	C.M.L	the M.H.L C.N.O G.M.T D.S R.U.L
	M.H.U	The entrance to harbor is Mined
	K.Q.R.J.	S.S. Alabama
	T.C.M	eacced
	[illegible]	Floating mine
	C.D.L	In
	Code over C.M.	Latitude 60°
	Code over F.E.	Longitude 46°
	R.[illegible].Y.	Monday
	P.W.M	July
	Code under V.F.	30th
	K.J.Y.	Dangerous
	C.N.O.	to
	S.F.A.	Navigation
	H.C.G.	Signed

26 Hoist Time 1 hour 5 minutes.

Case 7 [illegible]

Station	Signals	Meaning
J. Francis No 4	N.M.J.	Forward message without loss of time
	A.U.X.	to the
	F.G.L.	Associated
	T.W.R.	Press
	B.A.F.S	Boston Mass
	R.Z.Y.	In the morning.
	C.G.M	of
	N.R.F.	Friday
	F.M.U	August
	Code under U.R.	10
	Code under U.T.	19
	N.B.S.	Fisherman
	B.C.N	From
	B.A.F.H	Provincetown
	C.P.J	were
	P.[illegible].b	lost
	C.H.D.	On the
	N.P.U	Fishing Grounds
	Code under N.T.	65
	U W U	Miles
	A.A.D	South East
	C.G.M.	of
	B.A.F.W.	Cape Cod.
	H.C.G.	Signed
	Code over E.	

Aug 14- 1917

Sender	Signals	Meaning
J Francis No 4	I	I.
	Code over	F.
	M	M.
	Code over	F.
	S.W.A.L.	Swal
	L	L.
	Code over	G.

32 Tried Time 1 hour.

August 21 - 1917

Sender	Signals	Meaning
Sandwich	[illegible]	Strange Sail
Surfman No 5	B.F.Q.	has been
	N.B.T.	sighted
	C.D.J.	In
	Code over F.W.	Latitude 45
	Code over G.S.	Longitude 84
	T.X.E.	Proceed to sea
	M.Y.O.	Find out
	B.X.D.	Her
	S.E.B.	Nationality
	V.Q.E.	Send report of
	P.J.H.	Information
	C.N.O.	to
	A.Q.J.	Headquarters
	W.L.D.	Signature.
	Code flag over E	
	H	H.
	Code flag over F.	
	B	B.
	Code flag over F.	
	SHAW	Shaw

21 Hoist Time 5-0 Minutes.

August 28 - 1917

Sender	Signals	Meaning
C. F. Higgins 1cl Seaman	S.E.G.	It is necessary in order the navigation requires me to take a pilot.
	[illegible]	Tr
	A×B.H.	Mississippi City
	P.J.C.	Pilotage is compulsory
	P.I.	Dangerous without a pilot.
	F.V.U.	Bar or sand shifted
	K.J.H.	Is the river navigation difficult
	K.D.J.	Short manned crew weak
	B.P.N.	Firm
	H.B.I.	Sickness.
	F.C.	I should wish to know the nature of the sickness if any before I send my boat.
	V.S.F.	Sea sickness.
	F.P.D.	Awaiting coroners inquest
	Circle over	B.T. Latitude 42°
	Circle over G.B.	Longitude 68°
	W.C.G.	Signed
	Circle over	E
	W.	W
	Circle over	F
	P	P
	Circle over	F
	Pain	Pain
	e	e

August 28 - 1917

Sender	Signals	Meaning
E. F. Higgins	Circle over G.	Alphabetical signals ended
Wm. Sullivan	Circle under H.R.	67
	Circle over E	
	Port-	Port-
	land	land
	Circle over F	
	St	St
	Circle over G.	Alphabetical signals ended
	B.A.H.S	Boston Mass

30 Hoist time 50 Minutes.

Sept 4 — 97

Sender	Signals	Meaning
	O. Y. H.	Horse Guards
L. A. Howe	← C V E	Horse
	W B	Surrey Chain cable
Surgman No 8	< K. G. L	Surrey
	< H Q. N.	Cable chain
	O K T	General stores
	B. E. T	they are not
	F. G. C	Beach early
	K E C	Sunday week
	N B	Can I telephone to
	W. L. U	Lower spanker topsail yard
	W. I. P.	We must be
	C. B. Q.	If you are
Left out	R. G. Z. P	Riga
Left out	Code flag over I M.	Longitude 136°
	A. R. O.	S by W. ½ W.
Left out	Code flag under Y a	100
	R. I. C.	Light air not sufficient to give steerage way.
	S. Z. Y.	Pair of glass
	U. Y. C.	Risky
	W. C. G	Signed
	Code over	E
	A	A
	Code over	H
	T.	T.
	Code over	H

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[illegible]

Sender	Signals	Meaning
E C Hawes Surfman No 8	Q U C I S	Quc ae
Left out	Code over G S L B	number
	Code under U C	2
Left out		Pearl Street
	A L M U	Africa British East

30 Hoist 1 hour 0 minutes
8 Mistakes.

Sept 11 — 1911

Sender	Signals	Meaning
Ship from Lightship No 8	L.Z.	I am going to signal the contents of an important telegram to be communicated to you
	→ B.K.W	We can not
	K D F V	Bk W. B. Flint
	← B.	
	← N.E.W	Flinty
	S.Y.K.	Owners desire me to inform you
	Q.B.H	to go
	B.Q.G.Y.	Long Point Mass
	F.I.S	Must load more ballast
	E.L.K.	And
	Q.B.H	Go to
	A.X.K.R.	Turks Island
	Q.X.L.	to Load
	V.F.R.	Salt
	V.E.J.	Sailed from
	V.R.K	September.
	Code under U L	11
	H.C.G.	Signed
	H.W.C	Capt
	C.X.A.	A.
	L.Q.S.	E.
	Code over E	
	H.U.G	Hmg
	H E S	hes
	Code over G	

Oct 11 – [illegible]

Sender	Signals	Meaning
John J. Dean	K.B.H.D.	[illegible] B. Flint
[illegible] No 6	S.A.D.Z.	Gloucester Mass

26 hoist in 45 Minutes
3 Mistakes

Sept 19 - 1917

Sender	Signals	Meaning
C. F. Higgins No 1 - Surfman.	V.G.	What is the name of the signal station in sight
	H.U.	Can you forward my communication by telegraph
	B.A.H.V.	Charlestown Mass
	S.E.V	Naval station
	P.W.K.	July
	Circle under U.R.	17 -
	Code under Y.J.	1,000
	Code under Y.I.	.900
	Circle under U.R.	.17
	O.E.	Enemy is in sight
	Circle under X.T.	94
	A.W.N	Miles
	A.S.K.	N.W. ½ W.
	B.P.N	from
	B.A.H.S	Boston
	Circle over C.Z.	73° Latitude
	Circle over J.Z.	166° Longitude
	C.W.B	will
	I.Q.U.	Communicate in cipher
	R.U.E.	Naval and Military news
	W.C.G.	Signed
	Code over E.	Signals follow are alphabetical
	L.D.	L.D.
	Circle over 1/4	dot between initals

Sept 19-1917

Sender	Signals	Meaning
C. F. Higgins	A.	A
Nr1 Surfman	circle over F	dot between initals
	S.N.O.W.	Snow
	Circle over G.	Alphabetical signals ended
	B.A.M.C	Portland Me

29 hoists in 35 Minutes

Sept. 24. 1917

Sender	Signals	Meaning
Joseph Genger Surfman Nr 7	C.P.V.	What
	X T H	time
	C.D.S	is
	X.E.2	supper
	X R 2	Thursday
	P.U.R	January
	N A X	first
	O.A.H	I will, give you
	A.J.V.P.	Turkey
	E.L.K	and
	C.M.E	the
	N.C 2.	fixing
	C.W B	will
	B.F.A	be
	F. I. U	at sea
	Circle over C R	65° Latitude
	Circle over G. O.	80° Longitude
	A. 2 Y	E. S. E.
	C.G.M.	of
	A.J.O.T	New York
	U.Y E	all well
	Y.X.G.	changeable weather
	X.A C	struck by a heavy sea
	R.A U	lost
	G.T O	Jolly Brat
	L.P.S	during the gale

Sept. 24 1917

Sender	Signals	Meaning
Joseph George	E & K C.D.K	and That is this must not
Seaman [illegible]	B.S.	Damaged rudder can not steer
	Y.P	want a Tug
	G.R.H	boat
	F.I.N	at once
	H.C.G.	Signed
	Code over E	Signals follow are alphabetical
	J	J.
	Code over F	dot between initials
	G.E.O.R.	Geo-
	G.E	ge
	Code over G.	alphabetical signals are ended
	B.A.G.F	Provincetown

39 hoists 1 hour 40 Minutes
1 Mistake

Oct 16 - 1917

Sender	Signals	Meaning
John J. Jason Surfman No 6	G J H	Bilge pump valve out of order
	E.A.F	Gear aloft
	L.H.I	How [illegible] have you been in such distress
	Code Flag under U.D.	3.
	K.M.T.	Day
	F.M.A.	August.
	Code under U N	13
	F.I.A.	At
	Code over L.H.	5 A.M.
	O.P.S	Can you spare a hawser.
	K.L.I	different size
	P.I.B.	Indicate the size of
	[illegible].D.Q.	7/16
	H.T.O	Steel wire hawser
	P.N.X	Are you Insured
	Code over B.T.	42 Latitude.
	Code over H.J.	100 Longitude
	A.Q.V	E ½ S.
	B.V.[illegible]	from
	A.X.P.U.	Tunas
	F.G.Q.	Vessel indicated does not require further assistance
	H.C.G.	Signed
	Y.L.Y.	Z.
	U.D.N.	Q.

Aug 18 – 97

Sender	Signals	Meaning
John J. Jason	2.U.F.	Limit
Engineer No 6	Code flag under	
	Y. A.	100
	Code flag under	
	U. Y.	23
	A.H.R.	Farm Cove
	M.. Y.	Farm
	T.A.F.	Cove
	B.E.X.U.	Indian Pickle
	P.H.V.	India
	Code over E	
	D.C.K.	Pick
	E	le.

8 hoist. Time 43 minutes
3 mistakes.

[illegible]

Sender	Signals	Meaning.
George V "Surfman" No 1	D.Q.W.	Afloat abaft.
	C.N.J.	You are in a very fair berth
	N.J.B.	Denotes Calm
	N.F.H.	Foot sore
	A.G.R.I.	Cambridge
	[illegible]	It ought not to be done
	Code over V.S.	Thermometer 35
	E.W.F.	Army Service Corps
	Code over S.Q.	Barometer 29·85
	W.L.	Port your helm to go to Starboard
	Code over L.T.	19 hours
	N.E.	Owner desires me to inform you to coal at
	A.F.L.D.	New rigging
	A.S.Q.	N by W ½ W.
	A.B.H.	Go
	F.B.Y.	As slow as possible
	[illegible]	Union Jack
	V.C.G.	Signed
	P.J.W.	Keeper.
19 hoist	time	30 minutes.

November 1 – 1911

Sender	Signals	Meaning
a. S. Flower	N.M.Y.	Forward message without
[illegible] no 8		loss of time
	C.N.X.	to the
	A.G.Z.	Associated
	T.U.R.	Press
	R.J.W	steam pressure gage
	B.A.H.S	Boston Mass
	R.Z.Y.	In the morning
	C.G.M	of
	X.T.E.	Thursday
	S.K.V.	November 1
	U.B.T.	Sighted
	N.B.S.	Fisherman
	B.P.M	From
	B.A.G.H	Provincetown Mass
	Code flag over B.T.	Latitude 32°
	Code flag over H.T.	Longitude 50°
	A.Q.X	E.S.E ½ E
	B.P.N	From
	B.A.W.C.	Eastport
	Y.D.	In want of an anchor and cable
	N.T.N.	Stock of goods
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	Local Government Board
	E.C.T.	Goods are shipped
	[illegible]	Cash

Nov 1 — 1911

Sender	Signals	Meaning
E A Flower	R. S. E.	Receive.
Signalman No 8	F. E. R. Code over E E	Signals
	J O H N	John
	Code over Fi	
	S M R	Smi
	Th.	Th
	Code over G	

31 word Time 35 Minute

2 Mistakes.

November 4 — 1917

[illegible]	Signals	Meaning
[illegible]	T.L.	What is the date of your signal book
	J.T.O	It will be a great convenience
	H.C.T.N	Range your cable
	D.X.Q.	All on board perished all hands lost
	F.A.N	Was it Happens
	Z.F.H	Wind appears to be steady.
	[illegible].Q.D	Am Are or is not to have
Left out ←	E.F.L.	Not Amiss
	D.V.N.	Make sail or go ahead and drop a boat
[illegible] ←	D.A.Q.	Long after
	D.K.Q.	Admiral or senior officer has commands for you
	C.X.I.	Abaft the Beam
	A.Q.T.E	Hull sound
	A.Q.[illegible]	E ½ N
	L.N.	I am aweigh
	V.E.	Annul the last hoist I will repeat it.
	M.L.	Stop her
	Code over B.K.	Latitude 33°
	Code over H.J.	Longitude 100°
	Code over L.N	10 A.M.
	[illegible]	Signed
	P.U.E	J

November 14 – 1917

Sender	Signals	Meaning
Manuel Joseph	V.R.Z.	N
Surfman No. 7	N.H.K.	Small.

23 Hoist Time 47 Minutes
2 Hoist left out

November 27 – 1917

Sender	Signals	Meaning
J. A. Howes Fireman no 8	Q.H.R	In what latitude did you see
	N.S.H.L	Sch. Gardiner G. Deering
	N.S	In distress want assistance
	Code over B.S.	31° Latitude
	Code over E.L.	27 Longitude
	A.R.L.	S by E. ½ E.
	B.P.N	From
	A.Q.L.F.	King Sound
	H.W.C.	Captain
	R.M.T	Mate
	L.V.B.	Cook
	A.Y	Sick
	F.C.	I should like to know the nature of the sickness if any before I send my boat or communicate
	S.P.N.	Small Pox
	X.J.G.	I will take you in tow
	M.H.L.	Entrance of the port
	U.C.Y.	Signed
	Code over E	
	J.O.H.N	John
	Code over F	
	S.N.O.W.	Snow
	Code over G	

Sender	Signals	Meaning
	Code flag under V.M.	No 37
	W.Q.C.	Union
	W.Z.N.	Street
	V.(A.)Z.	Gloucester Mass

26 hoists time 55 minutes

December 4
November 14 - 18.7

Sender	Signals	Meaning
~~Th French~~	L.C.Q.B.	The Lenape
~~Surfman No 7~~	L.P.U.	during the voyage
E. W. Hower	B.C.P.N.	from.
Surfman No 8	A.N.X.	Calcutta
	V.X.	Passed a wreck
	Code over B.Y.	48° Latitude.
	Code over L.W.	117° Longitude
	N.V.R.	Derelict, reported course in latitude Longitude dangerous to Navigation
	D.X.F.	all
	[illegible]	vessels
	[illegible]	warned
	D.X.H.	of
	N.L.U.	Dangerous sections.
	X.N.G.	Telegraph to my owner
	Code over	E
	C.R.O.W.	Crow
	E.L.	E.L
	L	L
	Code over	D
	E.S.K.	And
	Code over E.	
	T.H.U.R.	Thur
	L.O.W.	Low
	Code over 4	

Signals	Meaning
T.C.N.	Passed
B.A.F.E	Nantucket Shoals Lt.V.
V.C.T.	Sunday.
K.P.J.	Dec
Code over U.C.	2
Code over L.N	10 A.M.
W.C.G	Signed
Code over E	
W	W
Code over G	
P	P
Code over F	
P.U.J.N.	Pain
E	e
Code over G.	

3d Hoist time 1 hour

Dec 19 - 1917

Sender	Signals	Meaning.
M. F. Oliver	B.Q.G.F	Provincetown Har
Signalman No 2	K.P.J.	December
	I.L.Q.	Nineteen
	H.E.P.	Sir
	T.D.Z.	I am going to sail
	B.R.A.	For
	A.F.N.I.	Boston England.
	K.P.J.	December
	Y.E.X.	Twentieth.
	[illegible]	Weather permitting
	E.S.J.	Unable to weigh anchor
	K.J.E.	Damaged the windlass
	H.R.F	I am obliged to slip ~~slip~~ cable pick it up for me
	Code over D.H	80° Latitude
	Code over G.N.	79 Longitude
	J.U.I.	Hurricane
	H.B.	In want of coal
	Q.L.	Vessel indicated has sprung leak
	C.M.	Am drifting want assistance
	H.C.G.	Signed
	H.K.C	Captain
	O.U.F	Jack.
	Code over E.	

Sender	Signal	Meaning.
	P. J.	Pi
	P. E. R.	per.
	π W D	
	π. W. D. P.	Maryland

26 Hoist Time 43 Minutes
1 Mistake.

			Meaning.
Frank & Silvia		E L U	[illegible] to on enough of
	3	C	Boat should endeavor to land where flag is waved
		L V G	Clothing for female passengers womens clothing
		V U [illegible]	Sheer a little off when you come to the point
		H O C.	Persons indicated has not suspended business
		[illegible] B F	Vessel indicated can lend you carpenters tools
		U X	What is the sea like.
		Y D M	How ar the wounded,
		A X J V.	[illegible]
		A E [illegible]	Zuider Zee
		C N Q.	Ought to be able to
		Code over A.V.	9° Latitude
		Code over H. X.	54° Longitude
		Code over L H.	17 Hours
		Code over N. K	12 Minutes
		Code over D. X.	46 seconds
		A R Q.	S by W [illegible]
		[illegible] Z V.	Find great difficulty in weighing
		K [illegible] J.	December
		Code under V. B.	26

Dec 26 — 1917

signale	Meanunge
Code Jinnder Y J	1.000
Code Y Jundor Y.I.	900
Code under U R	17
	1917

U.W. Respectfully
S.T.Y. Clerk

25 Harst time 40, Minutes

June - [illegible]8

[illegible]	Signals	Meaning
	< N Z O	Can not get
[illegible]	N Y L	Can not get
[illegible]	C H S	Certificate of Marriage
	B P A	For
	L C [illegible]	L.
	E X A	U.
	Code over E	
	H C W	How
	E S	Es
	< Code over H	
[illegible] out	Code over H	
	H [illegible] U.	At the
	N G T	Custom House
	Q C [illegible]	Let me know
	[illegible] Z C	About May the
	Code flag under U P.	15
	E. N. K.	Send a reply
[illegible] out	< S [illegible] Q.	by
	V. U. W.	Some one
	Code flag over L. N	6 A'M
	Code over A. Z.	59 Minutes
	Code flag over P. J.	33 Seconds
	[illegible]	to
	B C D W	[illegible]
	Code over A. N.	11° Latitude
	Code over D. Y.	15° Longitude
	[illegible] V. Y	a visit from a roman catholic priest would be much valued

27 Hoist [illegible] [illegible]
3 Mistakes

Jan 11 — 1918

Sender	Signals	Meaning.
Charles J. Miller Signman No 10	R. F. D. M.	Sch Charles A Whittemore
	N. C. P.	Passed a wreck
	Code over B. U.	Latitude 43°
	Code over G. O.	Longitude 80°
	P. W. U.	June
	Code under U. P.	15
	C. O. M.	Was
	S. N. J.	Obstruction
	C N O	to
	S. F. A.	Navigation
	S. K. M.	Notify ~~[illegible]~~
	O. Q. I.	Headquarters
	A. Z. C. H.	Washington D. C.
	[illegible]	Signed
	F. N. C.	Capt.
	Code flag	over. E
	A N G U	A N Gu
	S.	s
	Code flag	over F
	M C.	Mc
	G. L. O. U.	Clou
	D.	d
	Code over	G.

23 Hours Time 38 Minutes.

[illegible]

[illegible]	Signals	Meaning
[illegible]	T.L	What is the date of your signal book
	J.?.B	It will be a great convience
	A.T.N	Range your cable
	D.X.L.	[illegible] all hands [illegible]
	F.A.N	As it was seen
	Z.F.H	Wind appears to be steady
	B.Q.D	Am are are is not to have
	D.V.N.	Make sail or go ahead and drop a boat
	D.R.Q.	Long after
	D.K.P.	Admiral or senior officer has commands for you
	C.X.J.	Adapt the beam
	A.Q.T.	E.N.E.
	Z.N.	I am aweigh
	V.E.	Annul the last hoist I will repeat it
	M.L.	Stop her
	Code over B.J.	Latitude 33°
	Code over H.J.	Longitude 100
	N.V.N.	Stock of goods
	B E J	Are
	V.Q.A	Shipped

Signals	Meaning
I.D.T.	cash
V.K.Y.	Received
W.C.G	Signed
Code over	E
CH.A.R	Char
L.E.S.	les
Code over	H
"	"
Code over H	
M.J.L	Mil
L.E.R.	ler
B.A.J.H.	Provincetown Mass.

32 Hoist time 1 Hour 10 Minutes

Jan 25 – 1918

Sender	Signals	Meaning
C F Higgins No 1 surfman	M.K.F.	Vessel indicated to examine strange ship and report
	C.N.X.	To the
	O.Q.H.	Head of department
	J.I.	Any letters or papers from
	L.Z.G.	Enemys fleet or squadron
	U.U.K.	Regarding
	Y.E.	Want assistance
	I.K.M.	Notify
	G.V.F.D.	Gresham Coa-Cut
	X.W.	I wish to be taken in tow
	C.N.O.	to
	S.F.M	Nearest port
	M.B.U	Repairs of engine can not be done here
	C.E.D.	My
	Code over B.I.	Latitude 42°
	Code over F.P	Longitude 56°
	Y.G.A	Unable to
	X.Y.S.	Tow
	[illegible]	Send boat to take off crew
	V.X.S	Vessel indicated is sinking
	Code over U.K	11
	R.A.U.	[illegible]
	Code over U.V.	20
	V.I.C.	Saved

Signals	Meaning
W C G	Signed
Code over E	
C U R T	Curl
I. S.	is
Code over F	
F	F
Code over F	
F. L. G.	Flg
G. I. N. S	gine
Code over G	
Code under V Y	48
H K D	Broom
W Z N	St.
A Z X E	Newport

38 Hoist Time 35-Minutes.

Jan 30 - 1918

Sender	Signals	Meaning
Joseph Francis Surfman no 4	Z V. J. Q.	Strange
	V. E. H	Sail
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	B H U	been
	Z V B G	sighted
	C D. I	in
	Code over B 2t	Latitude 45°
	Code over G. S.	Longitude 84°
	T X Q	proceed to sea,
	M Y O	Find out
	B, X, D	her
	S, E, B.	Nationality
	V. Q. E.	Send report
	C. U, O.	to
	I. Q. I.	Headquarters
	P, U, R	Press
	B A G G.	Boston Mass
	C. G. X.	I am
	C M E	This
	Z A. I	Morning Wednesday
	P, U, R	January
	Code over X F	30
	N B, S	Fisherman
	B. P. U.	from
	B. A. G. F	Provincetown

Signals	Meaning.
C.D.M.	Were
L.U.V.	lost on the
N.B.U.	fishing grounds
Code over D.U.	10
A.N.Q.	Miles
C.G.M.	of
B.A.F.E.	Nantucket shoals L.V.
A.Q.Y.	E.S.E
H.C.G.	Signed
Code over E	
M.A.W.L.	Mann
E.L.	el
Code over F	
F	F
Code over F	
O.L.I.V.	Oliv
E.R.	er
A.D.E.	Frankling Sound

43 hoist time 1 hour 5 minutes.

[illegible] 8 [illegible] 8

Sender	Signal	Meaning.
M Joseph No 7 Surfman	U.R.	Report me by telegraph to my owner Mr
	Code over E	
	W.X.L	Wil
	L I W M	liam
	Code over H	
	J	J.
	Code over T	
	[illegible] E	Ble
	E L	el
	Code flag under V M.	37
	[illegible] E	Union
	[illegible] G R	Street
	[illegible]	Gloucester Mass
	B.L.N.K.	He can not
	[illegible]	Reach
	C M F	Port
	P U E	May
	Code flag under F H	30
	C U H	Your owner is here
	K W O	Desires me to tell you
	O.B.H.	to Go
	B A.G.R	Plymouth Mass
	Code over B.L.N.	Latitude 45
	Code over G.R.	Longitude 83

Signals	Meaning.
C. J. O.	I would ~~like~~
Q. T. M.	Like
× Y. J.	Saw
G. O. H.	Badle
K. E. N.	Where will you cross the line
J. H. P.	Floating or Liquid compass
B. L. D.	Could or might not
L. G. H.	Last quarter of the moon
M. X. U.	Some squabble or fight on shore with crew

33 Hoist time 50 minutes

Feb. 3 – 1918

[illegible]	Signals	Meaning
John & Susan Cil Lurgman No 5	C.Z.E	Send a responsible person on board
	G.P.K.	Local medical Board
	J.V.Q.	Balsam of Copaiba
	E.X.P.	Has been arrested
	D.C.I	Accident happened gunshot wound
	D I N	Shell we act in concert
	[illegible]	Does disconnecting affect your steering
	D Q G	You will not lie afloat all the tide
	V.F.D.	Sal Ammoniac
	E.O.L.	Need be under no anxiety about
	D.H.	Attention is called to page paragraph of the International code
	F X N	What is the hight of barometer
	Code over 2.S.	28
	Code over R.D.	42
	Y N	Want police
	V E X	What is your best point of sailing

	Signals	Meaning
	T G B	Steam through ice
	Y L	What is the meteorological forecast for to Morrow
18 Hoist	time	20 Minutes.

[illegible]

[illegible]	signals	Meaning
[illegible]	G.B.F.	Bearings and distant of
[illegible]	B.M.A.	Could or might do be done
	E.O.F.	Gear aloft
	B.M.X.	Having done
	[illegible]	Forward immediately
	[illegible]	In how many minutes
	A.I.Z	Dock cabose.
	B.M.I	Do does or did not
	E.J.T	Help me to lay out an anchor
	N.H.E	Foot path
	Y.W.A.	Waterproofed
	[illegible] T.V.	Are there any public conveyance
	V.Q.L.	Rendered unserviceable
	[illegible] B.	Colonial secretary
	Code over N	Numeral signals No 2
	A.Y.G.	During the Monsoon
	W.I.H.	In the general vocabulary
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Code under Z.M.	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]

Signals	Meaning
X E R	Superintendent
V M C.	Second
Q H O	District
X X U	Com
O I U.	Guard

30 Hours 40 Minutes

[illegible]

[illegible]	Signals	Meaning
Curtis H Higgins No. 1 Surfman	E. B.	What ship is that
	K M J H	Forest Belle
	S. H.	Where are you bound
	F. A. [illegible]	Gloucester Mass
	E. P. K.	Do not approach the coast
		because it is mined
	Q U H	Your owner is here
	[illegible] Q.	Desires me to tell you
	[illegible]	to go
	[illegible]	Plymouth Mass
	C. Q. S	[illegible] laid
	K. Q. D	Will you meet me on shore
		To day
	F. J. A.	At
	Code over N V	5 P.M.
	S T G	Your agent has suspended business
	S. P. H.	During war
	N. C. G	Signed
	Code over E	
	M	M
	Code over F	
	H	H
	[illegible] F	
	O. L. J. N.	Obr
	E R	er
	Code over G	

Signals	
Code under	
Y B	200
Code under	
N G	67 267
J E X	Commercial
F V Z N	St
B Q H L	Boston Mass.

28 Hoist time 30 Minutes

March 7 — 1918

Sender	Signals	Meaning
[illegible]	E.N.F	Not answered no reply
[illegible]	F.Q.M	about to veer cable
	E.E.D.	Channel has altered do not try it
	J.T.S.	Clothing for men slops
	J.?.D	Code list of ships
	[illegible]	Commissioner of navigation Treasury Department or Register General of shipping and seaman
	Q.X.T.	Hooping Cough
	[illegible]	When you alter course or tack to night show a light
	J.E.G.	Accident happened cut Stab
	J.S.V.	Gear for cleaning decks
	N.G.L.	There has been so much fog as to cause considerable detention
	K.C.Q.	Crew discontented will not Work
	J.E.G.	Easly accomplished done
	Q.T.K.	I am going to stop Machinery required adjusting
	Q.D.L	Gold has been found at
	Q.F.H	Ship having the yard
	Space over A.E.	2° Latitude
	Code over N.W	6 P.M.
	Code over M.H	17 Minutes
	Code over Q.V	19 seconds

	A.S.I.	N W by W ½ W
	W.C.G	Signed
	H.W.C	Capt
	C.X.A.	A.
	V.R.Z	W.
	Code flag over	E
	H.C.I.E	Fire
	E.M.Q.N	eman..
	Code over H	
	W.E.L	Wel
	L.F.L.E	lfle
	E.T	et
	A.Z.X.Q	Mass

33 Hoist 05 Minutes

March 15 – 1918

Sender	Signals	Meaning
A M [illegible] [illegible]	R M Y	Forward message without loss of time
	Q N X	to the
	F G Z	Associated
	[illegible] U R	Press
	B A H S	Boston Mass
	P Z V	In the Morning
	Q Y M	[illegible]
	[illegible]	Friday
	R I T	March
	Code under U P	15
	Code under U T	19
	N B S	Fishermans
	B [illegible] R	From
	B A Y R	Provincetown
	[illegible]	Here
	Q A N	Lost
	Q H D	on the
	[illegible]	fishing grounds
	Code under N P	65
	Code over E	
	M X L	Mil
	E S	es
	Code over G	
	U R D	South East
	Q Y M	[illegible]

	Signals	Meanings
	H.V.Q	Cake
	J.[illegible].a	Cod
	N.B.H	Signed
	Code over E	
	A	a
	Code over H	
	E	e
	Code over H	
	H.U.G	Hug
	H.E.S	hes
	Code over G	
	H.M.C.	Captain
37 Hoist	time	47 minutes

March 19 - 1918

Sender	Signals	Meaning
S S Jason [illegible]	T F D. G	Str Boston
	W T. Q	Reported
	Y P H	Vessel
	V E. Q	With sails blown away
	Code under H A	50
	A H Q	Miles
	A Q F	ENE
	B A F H	Cape Cod
	Y F	Atlantic tug
	C. N. O.	to
	X S L	Take her in tow
	C. N. O	to
	B U M C.	Portland Me
	Q R A	All on board
	Y. B. K.	Well
	V. N. L.	Have you seen
	E O L	Any
	L. Y. Z.	Enemy
	X B H	Submarines
	H E. G	Since
	Q K J	Leaving
	[illegible]	the last
	O M. V.	Harbor
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Q R. Q.	Report

Signals	Meaning
M.J.Y.	Exact
T.P.N.	Position
C.N.O.	to
S.E.O.	Navy Department
[illegible]	Have you received my message
H.C.G.	Signed
P.U.E.	J
2 C O	L
[illegible]	Cat
C.R.S.M.	on

35 Haist time 1 hour.

March 28 – 1918

Sender	Signals	Meaning
A. M. Dennis	[illegible]	Sch Wyoming
	N B X	reported
	N S	in distress
	Code under N.A.	50
	A W N	Miles
	U Q L	N E
	B A E G	Chatham Mass
	V E C	Sails blown away
	N V	[illegible] promiscuous
	Y P.	Want tug boat
	Y R D	Sent
	X J L	to take her in tow
	C N O	to
	B. A. H. S	Boston Mass
	Y C L	Do not try
	M F D	Try to enter
	B A H. S	Boston Mass
	L. D.	Channel dangerous without a Pilot
	M H N	Entrance to harbor is mined
	N F R	dangerous to navigation
	N C G	Signed
	[illegible]	Captain
	E. T. Z. P.	Rob
	C. J. H. P.	Ert
	C P H J	Car

	Signal	Meaning.
	C.H.V.Q.	End
	C.D.M.	er
	Y.V.X.	Harbor Palice

28 Fast time. Hour 20 minutes

April 3 — 1918

[illegible]	Signals	Meaning
John L. Caton	L.N.C Code under U.K.	My draft of water is 7ft inche off 10
	T.N.C	Maxim gun
	P.C.L.N.	Is illness likely to last
	[illegible]	Keep on starboard tack
	[illegible]	First Lieutenant
	N.F.[illegible]	Where did you cross the Equator
	[illegible]	Fourth Mast chains
	S.[illegible].M.	Who are your owners
	H.L.[illegible]	Be all ready for slipping be ready to slip your cable
	M.J.I	Every thing paid
	H.T.L.K	did you see a brig
	S.F.K.P	I am sending you some news papers
	K.P.F	I can supply you with powder and shot
	Q.V.	Do not show a light on any account
	[illegible]	Present state of affairs
	X.N.F	Have you tried the temperature of the sea
	U.S.E.	S. ½ W.
	Code over C B	Latitude 50
	Code over H L	Longitude 52
	Code over E	

Signals	Meaning
A	A
Code over H	
M	M
Code over H	
DEN	Den
NIS	Nis.
Code over G	
B. A. G. H.	Provincetown Mass

2d Hand time 3 [illegible].

April 12 - 1918

Sender	Signals	Meaning
C. F. [illegible]	G I C Q	U.S. Paulding
	V Q R	will be sent
	C N U	to
	[illegible]	Convoy-ed-ing
	C H T	you
	C N Q	To
	A Z O L	New York state
	X P	Beware of torpedoes Channel is mined
	[illegible]	[illegible] Alabama
	C M	Passed
	N T C	Floating mines
	code over B T	Latitude 46°
	Code over H T	Longitude 00°
	X J	Meridian.
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Code under U S	[illegible]
	N J Y	dangerous
	C N U	to
	S F G	navigation
	N M J	Forward message without loss of time
	C N Q	to
	C M E	the
	H G J	Associated

	Signals	Meaning
	S.U.R.	Press
	B.A.H.S	Boston Mass
	T.H.G	Signed
	Code over E	
	C.H.A.R	Char
	L.E.S	Les
	Code over F	
	T.N	T.N.
	Code over F	
	S.N.O.W	Snow
	Code over G	
	B.A.Y.G	Plymouth
38 First	Time	45 Minutes.

April 16 – 1918

Sender	Signals	Meaning
Smith Francis	Y D H	Tuesday
	E T Z	April
	Code under U.Z.	16
	Code under U.T.	17
	Code under U.S.	18
	J X P	Vessel indicated
	K V I B	Wyoming
	Q X U	Loaded with
	J S Q	Contraband goods
	J I L	Has been seized.
	B.J.E.	by
	F N L.	Local authorities
	H X U	at
	U Z D H	Baltimore Md
	N D T	is not vessel bearing if necessary in distress
	M T	Have sailed steamer with Machinery disabled
	C A D.	in
	C over 3 7	Latitude 44
	C over G.O.	Longitude 80°
	M Q Z.	Can be repaired
	F J U.	at
	V I X	sea
	U K D.	will be ready to
	M B T	Proceed under her own steam
	Z U F.	Wednesday

	E T Z	April
	C. Flag under U R	17
	N C A	Signed
	H N C	Pilot
	Cover E	
	J O H N	John
left out Cover H <	S M I	Smi
	T. H.	th
	Code over G	
	B A J Z	Glaucester Mass
34 Hoist time		1 hour 15 minutes
		2 Mistakes

Sender	Signals	Meaning
S. S. Williams	B C M	Have
	C A F T	you
	E P C	any sick on board
	C N P	that
	S G D	need
	R C N	Medical treatment
	P J S	if so
	S R M	notify
	H N K	medical authorities
	D E N S	Easton Mass
	S L B	Number
	C F M	of
	S V W	sick
	X G	I was [illegible]
	E S X	on board
	T V	Hoist quarantine flag
	C R U	when
	S H F	coming
	C M B	into port
	L J F	Doctor or surgeon shall be sent for
	S Q	owners request
	W P G	signed
	[illegible] E	
	S H N	John
	[illegible] G	
	O U E	Joe
	Code over G	

To hoist time 45 minutes

[illegible]

May 2 '98

Sender	Signals	Meanings
J. George Nr 5	H.K.E	After arrival of
	K.?.?	when might the vessel await [illegible]
	E.Z.F	articles indicated can be supplied but will require fitting
	G.N.L.	Blockade is not [illegible]
	[illegible]	When does the blockade commence
	G.L.K	Biscuit is not good. Bread is not good
	G.Q.U.	one boat with mast lost
	G K W F	will you cash a bill for me
	G.K.L.	I will cash or take your bill
	U.S.P	Request can be complied with
	?.S.F	Steer course indicated by compass signals
	K.D.G	There is less current inshore
	V.X.S.	chase ship
	K.G.V	Custom house duties
	M.I.V	every exertion has been [illegible]
	T.C.R	fit for the purposes of
	P.C.G.	where did you encounter ice
	Q.E.D.	I think the land is
	B.X.E	Let him be
	W.C.G	Signal
	H.W.C	Captain
	S.Y.T	P.
	P.X.S	K.
	Code over E	Signals follow are alphabetical
	P.I.E	Pie
	R.C.E	see Code over. Is finish

23 Points - time 45 Minutes

2 Mistakes

[illegible] 9 - 1918

Sender:	Signals	Meaning
[illegible]	J. X	Telegraphic despatches arrived from
	S.Q.X	[illegible]
	O.B.H	[illegible]
	B.A.N.L	New Brunswick
	H.G.D.	Grain cargo
	N.H.M	For the safety of
	A.F.X.J	France
	S.H.E	Distressed for the want of food
	K.S.F	Delayed owing to recent gale
	E.V.G	April. Code under VG.25
	Code under V.H.T.E	Longitude 46°
	Code over C.H	Latitude 55°
	H.G.S	Cargo damaged
	C.N.O	[illegible]
	~~M.P.Q~~	Extent
	C.S.M	of
	Code under Q.F	1,000
	C under Q.F.E	500
	C under X.A	75
	Left out	
	A.T.J.	Woollen
	W.E.G	Signed
	H.N.E	Capt
	C over E	
		Signals to follow are alphabetical
	J.O.H.N	John
	Corrects	End of word

27 words time 45 minutes

1 Mistake

Sender	Signals	Meaning
A. M. Dennis	P. U F	Jack
	A.J.K.	Philadelphia

[illegible]

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	F.R.	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	Hold on till high water
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	X [illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	Do not abandon the vessel
	E [illegible]	Boat is [illegible]
	X [illegible]	Can you fix any [illegible] for
	X K [illegible]	Can you fix any time for
	[illegible]	[illegible] you going into port
	2 [illegible]	[illegible] the land bear
	[illegible]	Wait until weather moderates
	[illegible]	We shall have moonlight
	[illegible]	Make enquiry
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	Diving bell
	[illegible]	Use alphabetical spelling table
	[illegible]	[illegible] be altered
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Circle open [illegible]	18 Hours or 6 [illegible]
	Circle over [illegible]	35 Minutes
	Circle over D. L	Longitude 2°
	Circle over B.N	Latitude 36°
	[illegible]	They must be
	B.P.C	For all
	[illegible]	They are from
	[illegible]	[illegible]

26 Hours [illegible]

May 21 – 1918

Sender	Signals	Meaning
F. F. Silvia	Y. D. H	Tuesday
Surfman No 2	R. N. E	May
	Y. E. G.	twenty first
	Cunds U. W.	21st
	Cunds Y. J.	1.000
	Cunds J. C	19.000
	Cunds Y. I	900.
	Cunds 918	18
	L. H. K	troops are embarked
	B. D. A	for
	A. V. X. J	France
	V. B. T	sixteen
	J. W. I	convoy
	C. D. I	in
	C. wsi B X	Latitude 46°
	C. wsi H. C	Longitude 94°
	V. T. U	steer
	A. D. H	E by S
	R. T. I	before midnight
	K. V. T.	Signals in commission
	P. Y. I	keep a sharp lookout
	B. F. A	for
	X B H	submarines
	M. F. N	at the entrance of
	A J X 2	Massachusetts
	F. J. H	Bay
	W. C. F.	signed
	Z. P. U.	Limbers
	Sine I–	signals to follow are alphabetical

28 Hoists, time 1 Hour
3 mistakes

May 21-1918

Sender	Signals	Meaning
S.S. Silvia	H.L.M.K	Hank-
Lightvessel No 2	L.E.Y	Say
	Covr. G	Alphabetical signals are ended

Friday 27 — 98

Sender	Signals	Meaning
J J Jason	L.R.H.	When will dinner be ready What time is dinner
	X.R.Q.	Thursday
	R.N.E.	May
	X.Q.S.	Thirtieth
	A.U.H.	I will give you
	Code over E	
	T.U.R.K	Turk
	E.G.	eg.
	Code over G	
	A.W.Q.	86° compass in degrees
	N.C.Q.	Fipings
	B.H.A	Shall or will be
	F.I.U	At sea
	Code over C R	65° Latitude
	Code over G.C.	80° Langitude
	A.Q.Y.	[illegible]
	S.J.T	[illegible]
	A.Z.C	New York State
	S.V.E	All well
	Y.X.Z	Changable weather
	X.A.C	Struck by a heavy sea
	R.A.U	Lost
	G.T.L	Jolly boat
	L.C.S.	During the gale
	H.C.G	Signed

Signals	Meaning
CJRL	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]ne
CJP	[illegible]
CGMP	Den
CQFM	[illegible]
code number WN	03
EX	Commercial
HFCM	Street
BUGF	Provincetown Mass

34 hoist time 45 minutes.

June 7 – 1918

Sender	Signals	Meaning
Juttph George	B Q G H	Provincetown Hr
	K T.	December
	Code under U T	18
	H E P	Sir
	V D J.	I am going to sal
	B P A	For
	[illegible] H N X	Boston Environs
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Code under [illegible]	20
	[illegible]	Weather Permitting
	E J Y	Unable to weigh anchar
	K J E	Damaged the windlace
	H R F	I am obliged to slip ny cable
	Code over D H	Latitude 80°
	Code over G N	Longitude 77°
	P A I.	Hurricane
	H B	In want of coal
	Q L	Vessel indicated has sprung a leak
	[illegible] M.	I am drifting want assistance
	W C G	Signed
	H W C.	Captain
	C N B H	Jac
	P X S	K
	U G A.	R
	C Q H Z	New

Signals	Meaning
[illegible]	Come
[illegible]	[illegible]
Commander U.S.	3
C.2.S.T.	[illegible]
C.2.2.G.	[illegible]
A.J.C.Q.	Mary land

[illegible] hours time 55 minutes

June 13 – [illegible]

Sender	Signals	Meaning
A. McLennie	[illegible]	Bilge pumps choked out of order
	[illegible]	[illegible] lost
	L.F.S.	How long have you been in such distress
	X.C.P.D.	Three
	N.M.T.	days
	F.M.C.	August
	Code under U.N.	13
	F.D.C.	at
	Code under U.F.	5
	E.D.U.	A.M.
	O.P.S.	Can you spare a hawser
	P.D.B.	Indicate the size
	B.D.Q.	?/16
	U.T.O.	Steel wire hawser
	T.N.X.	Are you insured
	Code over B.T.	Latitude 42°
	Code over H.J.	Longitude 60
	A.U.V.	E ½ S.
	B.P.M.	from
	A.X.P.U.	Inman
	[illegible].G.Q.	Vessel indicated does not require further assistance
	W.C.G.	Signed
	Z.L.Y.	Z

[illegible]	Signals	[illegible]
	U.S.N	2
	T.H.L.	Sirow
	Code under Y.A.	100
	Code under U.H	7 [illegible]
	Code over E	
	V.A.S.H.	a Yach
	L.N.G.	Sngt
	C.P.	an
	V.J.N.	St
	[illegible]	[illegible]

53 Hoist time 32 Minutes

June 20-1918

Sender	Signals	Meaning
J. L. Caten	C.X.B	A or an
	R.Y.C	German
	M.X.P	Fire masted ship
	H.X.S	has been captured
	C.D.I	in
	B.A.V.J	Prospect Hr
	H.U.C	Captain
	C.S.R.B	Pia
	C.L.J.H	ine
	B.H.A	Shall or will be
	F.Q.L.	Back
	B.P.N	from
1 Mistake	Q.L.W	Leave [illegible]
	L.K.G.	Leave-ing to leave
	Y.F.E	Twenty sixth
	C.G.M	of
	P.U.U	June
	R.A.Y	Lost, sight of wreck
	C.D.I	in
	Circle over B X	Latitude 46°
	E.L.K	and
	Circle over F.E	Longitude 46°
	Y.S.R	I will wait until
	R.Q.Y	morning
	R.B.G	[illegible]
	Q.G.Y	[illegible]
	Circle over K R	1 PM

	Signals	Meaning
[illegible]	X.R.E.	Thursday
[illegible]	P.N.U	June
	S.I.L	Nineteenth
	W.C.G.	Signal
	Code over E.	Signals following are alphabetical
	G	G
	Code over H	End of word or dot between initials
	U	U
	Code over H	End of word or dot between initials
	[illegible]	Lib
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Code over	End of word
	S.U.R.	Leaf
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Code over B	Alphabetical signals ended
	Code over [illegible]	Numerical signals begin
	3	2
	[illegible] 3	Numeral signals ended

44 Circle time 1 hour 10 minutes

June 25-1918

Sender	Signals	Meaning
F. F. Vilna	K.V.C.J.	Sch Rose Dorothea
	H.J.S	Broke
	R.G.H.	Main boom
	E.L.K	and
	S.C.2	Has carried away
	R.G.2	Mainsail
	P.V.V.	June
	Y.F.A.	Twenty seven
	Circle over Y.A	74° 1918
	Circle over Y.S	80°
	Circle over A.S.	17°-6
	X N T	Temperature Ten
	[illegible]	[illegible] 2
	i 2 6	[illegible] E.
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	B.2N.	Had [illegible] Has or have
	A.C.Q	Put into
	B.A.F.L	---- Provincetown 26.
	B.2T.	Had - Has
	C.Q.X	Aboard
	Circle under Q.L	20.000
	Circle under Y.N.	5.000
	B C.E	Pounds
	C.G.M	of
	N.B.O	Fish
	H.B.V	Bound to

6 Mistakes

[illegible]	Signal.	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	B.R. [illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	C.W.K.X	Ger
	C.Q.N.K	Vic
	C.H.Q.V	Eng
	C.F.L.J	Bra
	C.B.W.M	[illegible]

[illegible]

July 5 1918

Sender	Signals	[illegible]
Joseph George	K.T.W.L	[illegible]
	R.B.J	Bound
	B.O.K	From
	B.A.H.S	Boston
	C.N.O	To
	A.F.V.J	France
	V.C.K	Passed
	B.A.G.Y	Boston [illegible]
	P.U.M	July
	B.O.B	Fourth
	Q.X.S	Dead
	Y.B.S	Temp
	B.U.J	[illegible]
	H.C.V	Signal letters
	O.V.Q	[illegible]
	M.K.T	except
	M.N.C	Expect
	C.I.P	[illegible]
	Y.U.C	Her
	F.M.P	[illegible]
	P.U.M	July
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Y.F.C	Twenty eighth
	B.O.C.V	Eleven
	[illegible] under U.M	12
	S.L.T	Nurses
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	C.Y.X	Board - aboard
	B.U.S	S Ree

July 5 — [illegible]

Station	Signals	Meaning
[illegible]	[illegible] F. U.	20.000
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	1.2.(?)	[illegible]
	2.3.4.	[illegible]
	1.2.3.4.	[illegible]
	[illegible] E	Alphabetical signals follow
	C.U.R.	Cur—
	T.I.S.	tis
	[illegible] 4.1	End of word or dot between initials
	H.I.G.	Hig
	G.I.N.S	gins
	[illegible] 4s	alphabetical signals ended

+ Mistake

38 Hoists | time 17 min

July 10 - 1918

Sender	Signals	Meaning
G. S. Williams	U A L	Reinforcements are expected
	M U B	if favorable
	H. P. S	By way of
	W. R. T. C.	P. Victoria
	N. C. L. T.	Str Romblon
	I. A. T.	is reshiping her cargo
	V. E. S.	Will sail
	Code Flag over L A	10 P.M.
	P. W N	June
	X. N. U.	Tenth
	E Y F	Expect to arrive
	T. O. Q.	At this Port
	Q. K. L.	Before leaving
	B. P. A.	For
	M H W	Europe
	O. M. V	Port
	J Z. U	Set the corse
	A Q. Z	S E by E ½ E
	P. H. L.	Increase speed
	F S A	at
	Code over J D	120° Latitude
	Code over C. T.	67° Langitude
	W C G	Signed
	C S B L	Cmt
	C R S F	one
	C G M P	Dem

L.L.T.M. Tue

27 Faist Time 45 minutes

July 15 –

Sender	Signal	Meaning
J Branner	E.P.	The bank is encumbered with fishing boats
	L.G.M	Last spring
	R.N.H.	End of May
	code flag over P.T	29
	Code over C.F.	Latitude 42°
	Code over E.O.	Longitude 30°
	A.S.I.	ZV. S,EV½ZW
	N.V.W	Can you ride out the gale
	N.I.M.	Whole gale
	L.M.R.	Doubtfull
	N.U	Leak is gaining rapidly
	I.V.H	I will keep close to you during the night
	code over L.H	17 hours
	Y.L.	Want a boat immediately
	E.T.	Boat is coming to your assistance
	D.X.R.	All on board saved
	W.Z	Respectfully
	H.Z.V.C	Captain
	Code over E	
	G	G
	code over H	
	A	A
	code over H	
	A N J E	Ande

Signals	Meanings
G S O N	Ocean
code word by	
W T L	Earth
E + C	America
code number	
T A	25
F J R	Atlantic
E N Z R	Street

Total Time 58 Minutes
7 mistakes

June 24 – 1918

Sender	Signals	Meaning
Curtis F. Fuggane	F.G.M.	Offered assistance but they declined
	M.S.D.	False attack
	H B Z < H.G.D	Ships bottom must be looked at
	F.G.U.	Shell weigh the moment the breeze springe up
	M. < S.G.F	Is my present course a correct one
	M.S.D.	Fair lead
	O.S.H.	Fairway or channel is buoyed
	X.A	and following message through the post to owners Mr at
	2 J O	~~Ship your~~ Can you make out the leading marks
	G.F.R	Shift your berth father out
	F.V.U	What is the lowest price you will take
	O.C.H	I am a stranger here will you let me go ashore with you
	A.M	Accident want a surgean
	X.U.V	Ton of water.
	L U.G.F	Race is postponed until
	N S M < N.M.K.	I wish to speak to you
	I.P.H	Chloride of lime
	A.H.E.O	Santa Marie

	Signals	Meaning
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Code over 5 2	Latitude 25
	Code over 7 2	Longitude 57
	[illegible]	Signed
	Code over 2	
	7	7
	Code over 7	
	2	2
	Code over #	
	S a m	Sam
	S o n	son
	Code over #	
30	Hart	Time 35 minutes
	3 Mistakes	

August 1 - 1918

Sender	Signals	Meaning
A M Dennie	V L U	Will you send
	G Z F	Signal book
	C N A	to
	Z V D.	Board of trade office
	H W C	Captain
	W G U	G
	Z L Y.	Z
	C V X L	Tay
	C R L N	lor
	D L B	Number
	Code F under A Y	100
	Code F under Z V S	68
	W I F	Snake
	W Z N	Street
	A Z D F	Baltimore Md
	G F	I am about to sail
	F M U	August
	N A X	first
	B P A	for
	A U V X	Santa Elena
	L R S.	During the gale whilst the gale last
	Code F Over C N	Longitude 0°
	Code flag over K P.	Latitude 10°
	N K H	I have carried away fore yard

Signals	Meaning
N K X	Sprung your mast & put away [illegible] [illegible]
K H E	Distress for want of food
A M	Accident want a surgeon
V D E	Not safe to make the land
V R R	Want another Tug
E R G	Signed
F E V C	Captain
Code Flag [illegible] E	
J D F R	John
Code Flag [illegible]	
S N O W	Swan
Code over G	
L A H R	Bark Ruth Stark
B Q H S	Boston Mass

43 Heart time 53 Minutes

1 mistake

Aug 9 - 1915

Sender	Signals	Meaning
J J Jason	K Y B M	Sch Charles H Whittemore
	T C T	Passed a wreck
	Code under B U.	Latitude 43°
	Code under G D	Longitude 80°
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	N X L	Fifteen
	J Q	Beware of derelict dangerous to navigation Wreck obstruction, to navigation
	S K M	Notify ~~Headquarters~~,
	[illegible]	Headquarters
	W Z C H	Washington D.C.
	[illegible] G	Signed
	H [illegible]	Captain
	[illegible] E	
	M Q J.	Fl
	C P S Q	Me
	C F X Q	Clo
	C [illegible] N	nd
	Code under U A.	14
	C S [illegible]	Tor
	C [illegible] F J	lla
	C Q G S	nd
	[illegible] Z N.	Steel
	B A H S	Boston Mass

23 Said time 45 minutes.

Aug 1?th 1918

Source	Signals	Meanings
[illegible]	Z.H.U	Forward the following information to
	O.S.L	Headquarters
	K.P.V.A	At a [illegible]
	N.E.C	Sunk off [illegible]
	B.C.F.2	Barnett Beach
	B.[illegible]	
	V.C.O.F	Sunday
	[illegible]	July
	V.S.[illegible]	Seventh
	Cumd. Of J	[illegible]
	Cumd U.[illegible]	14
	Cumd Of J	[illegible]
	Cumd U.S.	15
	Cumd U.S	18?
	[illegible].J.C	By the enemy
	X.B.H.	Submarine boat
	K.C.[illegible]	crew saved
	S.A.[illegible]	Crew saved
	S.C.J	Enemy
	[illegible]	When last seen
	C.U.[illegible]	There
	Cumd Of P	10
	M.X.L	Fifteenth
	A.U.C	Miles
	B.P.N	From
	B.C.F.2	Barnett Beach
	BUFG A2Y	
		E.A.E
	[illegible]2U	Can not read more cable
	V.[illegible].X	Sea
	Z.[illegible].13	South
	G.E.L	Wind
	A.R.P	S.S.W.

Shurtzer

Aug 15-1918

Signals	Meaning
N.C.G.	[illegible]
H.W.C	Captain
Circle over E	Alphabetical signals follow
W.A.L.K.	Walk
E.R.	Er
Circle over M	Alphabetical signals ended.

32 Hoists time 50 minutes

[illegible]

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]ed at destination
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible] at
	G E Z	How does it belong to
		[illegible]
	[illegible]	train
	A F P G	Trinidad W.I.
	C J V	When did you pass
	A F L	Gulf stream
	C D J	in
	circle over A T	Longitude 60°
	circle over D A	Latitude 14°
	A B T	Sighted
	J L P	Wreck
	C O M	Also
	[illegible]	dangerous
	[illegible]	to
	S F A	Navigation
	A Q P	E.N.E ½ E.
	circle under X A	X5
	A K N	Miles
	B F N	From
	A Y P B.	Diamond shoal light vessel
	J C G	Signed
	H N C	Capt
	P N E	J

Second Meaning

Code avee
E

STMLT Sent
F h

Code avee
G.

Time. 45 Minutes
1 Mistake

August 30 – 98

[illegible]	Signals	Meaning
[illegible]	L.B.H.?	[illegible]
	QPX	Reported
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	order flag under	
	EKA.	50
	AZHN	Miles
	U.L.L.	N.E.
	B.U.E.H.	[illegible]
	J.D.U.	Sailed to
	G.R.T.	Elann
	F.P.Q.	Away
	N.V.	Short of provisions
	L. P	Want a tug
	YGH	Boat
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	CNO	15
	X.L.	[illegible]
	B.Q.H.S	Boston Mass
	EMH	Do
	EHM	Not
	NHI	Try to enter
	BQHS	Boston Mass
	L. D.	Channel dangerous without pilot
	NHU	Entrance of the gulf or harbor is mined

	I.E.	Dangerous to navigation
	S.N.C.G.	Signed
	Code over E	
	R.A.B.E	Rate
	R.T.	rt
	Code over A	
	S.A.V.E	Save
	N.D.E.R	Rider
	Code over A	
	Y.F.X.	Harbor [illegible]
55 Minutes		

[illegible]

Sender	Signals	Meaning
[illegible] Williams	J 7	What is the name of the signal station in sight
	F U	Can you forward my communication by telegraph
	[illegible]	Charlestown Navy
	S E [illegible]	Naval
	S E	Naval station
	W R N	Station
	P S M	July
	Code under U R	17
	Code under Z E	19-20
	Code under U S	18
	W. E.	Enemy is in sight
	Code under X T	94
	U H N.	Mile
	A S J.	N.W. by W ½ W.
	B P U.	from
	U C K L	Harg
	Code over C W	13° Latitude
	Code over J [illegible]	166° Longitude
	C W B	will
	J F N	Communicate
	D L M.	in cipher
	A. U. E	Naval and Military news
	W C G	Signed
	Code over E	

Signals	Meaning
J.O.H.H Code over H	John
H	H
Code over H	
G I V E	Give
N	n
Code over G	
H.L.H.C.	Captain

Time 30 minutes 31 hoist

Sept 11 – 918

Sender	Signals	Meaning
[illegible]	R.P.T	Mindora
	D.I	in
	L.H.C.	Distress
	Code over T.A	40
	C.W.N	Men
	A.Q.I	E.S.E
	B.P.N	from
	D.W.E.V	Fin land
	Q.W.D	light
	C.D.I	in
	Code over B.H	Latitude 30°
	Code over F.T.	Langitude 60°
	C.J.O	Would
	Q.T.A	like
	G.F.T	Two
	G.S.R	tug boat
	B.G.[illegible]	I
	[illegible]	Will stand by you
	G.L.E	until
	H.E.X	assistance
	J.E.F	comes
	B.G.[illegible]	if
	C.B.P	you
	W.L.	want to
	G.J.T	taken off

Signals	Meaning
2 S M	in the
S D B	night
B P M	turn
2 R O	light

29 Word Time [illegible] ulex.

[illegible]

[illegible]	Signals	Meaning
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible] to have any thing further to do in the matter
	J F, F. G F.	Is my present course a correct one and steering a proper course
	F. E	want some dead weight of cargo
	Q. F. C.	Too large a number of
	E. 1. B	The appointment has not taken place
	[illegible] E [illegible]	Deeper water is nearer the shore
	E. B. Q.	Your name is not on my list spell it alphabetically
	Code over E	
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Code over F	
	G.	G.
	Code over F	
	V. N. C.	[illegible]
	A D O	Ada
	O	a
	Code over G	
	[illegible] D. R	Sunny
	C. U. E. X.	California
	D. G. O.	Acknowledge or answer my signals

Signals	Meaning
G.S.T	Do not send boat ashore after dark
I N E	Chartered or employed by government.

21 Hoist used to [illegible]
a Mistake.

[illegible]

[illegible]	Signals	Meaning
[illegible]	.K.	What is the date of your signal book
	.H.W	It will be a great convenience
	.T.N	[illegible] your cable
	L.X.E	All on board perished all hands lost
	T.Q.M	As it happens
	.J.F	[illegible] appears to be steady
	D.Q.D	Am sure we are not to have
	D.F.N	Make sail or go ahead and drop a boat
	.T.Q	Longitude
	J.R.P.	Admiral or senior Officer [illegible] commander of your
	C.X.X	[illegible] the [illegible]
	[illegible]	E S E
	Y.N	I am [illegible]
	.Q	Annul the last hoist I will repeat it
	M.L	Stop her
	Code [illegible] [illegible]	Latitude 30
	Code [illegible] E.H	Longitude 33
	N.T.R.	Stock of goods
	R.D.	Cash
	U.K.Y.	Receive

Signals	Meaning
E J C T	Signed
C D K T X	Sea
C A F P	Each
E K T M	Era
Z K H E D T ✓	y Day
E A H S	Boston Mass

20 Hoist Time 1 hour 5 Minutes
1 Mistake.

Oct [illegible] — [illegible]

Sender	Signal	Meaning
[illegible]	[illegible]	Passengers have [illegible] of yellow fever
	E.Z.F	Is there anything to prevent landing
	[illegible]	Refer to the geographical signals
	D.Y.Z	Has the receipt been acknowledged
	[illegible]	Muster roll or book roster
	+ B	Have you seen anything of my boat
	S X M	What is your consumption of coal per hour full speed
	L [illegible]	Surgeon or doctor [illegible]
	X N F	Have you tried the temperature of the sea
	[illegible]	A regular break up an end to the fine weather
	[illegible] C	Cubic Millimeter
	[illegible] U.E	Barnes Road
	A.K, Z.F	Miss B
	code [illegible] D F	Latitude 80°
	cod [illegible] J.W.	Longitude 142°
	D.G.C	I beg to acknowledge [illegible] is incorrect
	L Z M	Shifting
	N [illegible]	Dunnage
	[illegible]	I am directed to acquaint you
	EA	I am

Signals	Meaning
L B M	Directed to
D G V	Acquaint you
C H [illegible]	you
U [illegible]	[illegible]
code under Y [illegible]	[illegible]
A H U	Mile
[illegible]	Signed
C D B L	Aunt
C T [illegible]	one
X J E	T
C P M T	Lue
C D L	ae
Code over M	
C D	34
U	0
Code over O	
F J K	Atlantic
F O U	Ave
B A H S	Boston

31 hoist time 45 minutes

mistake this was in the house crew having coalds

October 25 - [illegible]

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	U E	Report me by telegraph to my owners
	[illegible] F Code over E	[illegible]
	G. E U Code over F	Sea
	H Code over F	H
	B U H	Bow
	L E. U. Code over G	Leg.
	[illegible] [illegible] V E	54
	H J. N	Atlantic
	F H J. N	Fleet
	W B E D	White sea
	G L V	Lost all propeller blades
	C J C	Would
	L T. M.	Like
	[illegible] D. M	Tug boat
	[illegible] H. W.	My latitude is
	Code over B	Latitude 42°
	Code over F. P.	Longitude 56°
	[illegible]	Unable to
	[illegible]	Tow
	G. H. P.	Send boat to take off the crew

X S	Vessel Indicated is sinking
code under U.R.	17
K.A.U.	Last
Code under V H	32
V I F.	Saved
W.C.G	Signed
Code over E	
H E V	Frei
M E G	mer
Code over F	
CARL	Carl
S O N	son
Code over G	

37 Horst time 55 Minutes.

		Meaning
[illegible]	N.T.M.C	Str Lenape
	L.R.U	During the voyage from
	A.N.J.I	Calcutta
	T.C.P	Passed a wreck
	[illegible]	48° Latitude
	d U	° Longitude
	[illegible]	Derelict reported passed on latitude
		longitude dangerous to navigation
	D.X.F	ice
	[illegible]	Vessels
	[illegible]	Warned
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	Dangerous to navigation
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	E.L.F	and
	C.U.	Passed
	B.Q+E	Nantucket Shoal St. V

	H E G	Signed
	Code over E	
	R	R
	code over H	
	M	M
	Code over H	
	D E N	Den
	N J S	mix
	Code over G	
	B A G H	Provincetown Mass

37 Hirst Time [illegible]

[illegible]

Sender	Signals	Meaning
G S Williams	L B [illegible]	Passed disabled ship at
	[illegible]	Can you go up the river
	D [illegible] B	Extinguish all lights allow
	~~J~~ A B K	no lights to be seen
	[illegible]	you had better get a sick nurse
	[illegible]	Supply of water is small not exceeding a day
	[illegible]	Headway steerage way
	[illegible]	[illegible] of sweeper
	H [illegible] K	By the head
	code under U.S.	18
	[illegible]	inches
	[illegible]	Affairs are very unsettled
	[illegible]	[illegible] ship my [illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible] room [illegible]
	[illegible]	Call attention of shore signal station
	[illegible]	Scrap iron
	[illegible]	Can you make out the leading marks
	[illegible]	When does the mail arrive
	[illegible] P	Twist brush or tools
	[illegible]	Will you send me some newspapers
	[illegible] B	Can ~~you~~ fresh beef be procured

Signals	Meaning
N.C.G. Code over E	Signed
N code over F	N
P code over F	P
P.A.I.	Pai
N E Code over G	ne

–7 First Time 33 Minutes

[illegible]

Sender	Signals	Meaning
F. F. Silvia	T. Q.	What is the depth of water on bar
	M.A.J.	Slight engagement
	H.P.S.	Caloric Engine
	[illegible]	How long have you been on the voyage
	P.J.S.	Parted from her anchar
	F.Z.S.	Run on the beach beach the vessel
	A.R.V.T.	Murray R
	A.J.T.	Be on your gard look out
	J.P.Q.	Communicate the following
	P.L.	Accident dangerously wounded
	J.D.H.	A good many slight cases
	B [illegible]	Latitude 38
	Code over 4 J	Longitude 90
	G.J.H.	Haul up your boat
	Q.S. [illegible]	[illegible] cattan
	J.U.R.	Point of law
	Code over Q U	22 hours or 10 a.m.
	E.P.M.	Private house or light house [illegible]
	Q.K.N.	Convoy will leave on
	A.D.X.	Refrigerating machinery out of order
	V M O	Secretary of the state for
	O H U	Government hired vessels
	Code under V P	40
	P.K.J.	Rope or Jacobs ladder
	[illegible] Q	Manda Raads

Signals	Meaning
[illegible] E	ick precice time of hig water
B.Q.M.	Could or might not have had
C.X.U.	U
Q C O	L
Code over E	
P U T	Put
M.U.U	Man
Code over G	
code under Y A	100
code under X W	97
code over E	
C O U K	Can
T	t
Code over G	
N Z N	Street
B.A.S.O.	Barhardor.

41 haist Time 1 hour 5 minutes

[illegible] 22 – [illegible]

Sender	Signals	Meaning
C. F. [illegible]	E.T.	The bark is encumbered with fishing boats
	L.G.M.	Last spring
	N.G.	End of [illegible]
	Code [illegible] [illegible]	21
	Code over B.T.	Latitude 42
	Code over E.O.	Longitude 30
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	Can [illegible] ride out the gale
	L.M.A.	Doubtfull
	N.U.	Leak is gaining rapidly
	V.F.	I will keep close to your during the night
	Code over K.H.	17 hours or 6 A.M.
	[illegible]	Want a boat immeadiately
	E.T.	Boat is comming to your assistance
	J.X.R.	All on board saved
	[illegible]	Respectfully
	N.C.	Capt
	Code over E	
	[illegible]	E
	Code over	
	A	A
	Code over F	
	[illegible]	Code

Signals	Meaning.
R S O N Code area G	ocean
U U N O code number	South Ammerica 23
F J K	Atlantic
N Z N	Street

2" Hard time 20 Minutes

Dec. 3 1918

[illegible]	Signals	Meaning
[illegible]	F.G.P.	Surgeon or doctor wants assistance
	[illegible]	[illegible] been attended with no advantage
	G.Y.S.	Any bones broken
	H.Q.F.	Cabin table requisites
	H.S.R.	What is your calculations
	[illegible]	Have been classed by a [illegible]
	L.G.T.	Your signals is not distinct interpretation doubtful
	L.V.X.	When do the troops embark
	[illegible]	By the first conveyance
	X G.J.	Are you your [illegible] answer [illegible]
	Side over I.M	Latitude 60
	Side over G.T.	Longitude 17
	[illegible]	After sunset
	G.A.J.	I have not been able to make out the buoy or beacon
	E [illegible]	Was the tide high when you grounded
	H.L.G.	I am paying every attention
	N.K.	Driving: can veer no more
	Z	cable no more anchors to let go
	H.R.Y.	Starting gear out of order
	K.E.L.	When did you cross the equator

Signals	Meaning
[illegible]	Under steam [illegible]
[illegible]	Not much sea at
[illegible]	Not safe to risk making the land
[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	Capt
[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]

26 [illegible]

Dec 20-1918

Sender	Signals	Meaning
[illegible]	[illegible]	What is the name of signal station [illegible]
	H U	Can you forward my communication by telegraph
	B A H V	Charlestown Mass
	S E V	Naval Station
	P A V M	July
	Code under U R	17
	Code flag under V	[illegible]
	Code flag under Y I	9 [illegible]
	Code flag under U S	18/1918
	[illegible]	Enemy [illegible]
	[illegible]	17
	[illegible]	France
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	From
	A C T L	[illegible]
	Code flag over C 4	Latitude 73
	Code over 1 6 6	Longitude 166°
	C Z / B	Will
	I Q N	Communicate in cypher
	R U E	Naval and Military news
	N C G	Signed
	Code over E	
	J O H N	John

Signals	Meaning
Code over A	
R	Q
Code over A	
GRAY	Gray
Code over ~~BA~~ G	
Code flag under YA	100
Code over 2	~~Washington~~
WASH	Wash
[illegible]	ingt
ON	on
NZN	St
BOHS	Boston Mass

33 Hard Time 30 minutes.

Jan 9 – 9.9

Sender	Signals	Meaning
F Carleon	U Q L	Reinforcements are expected
	M H D	if favorable
	H K S	by way of
	U E F	Fort Victoria
	I A T	Is reshipping her cargo
	V E S	will sail
	Code over [illegible]	10 P.M.
	Q F M	July
	Code under U R	10
	E Y F	Expect to arrive
	T G E	at this Port
	Q R L	Before leaving
	[illegible]	for
	M H V	Europe
	O M T	Fort
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	A Q Z	S E by E ½ E
	Q F C	Increase speed
	F I A	at
	code over [illegible]	67° Latitude
	code over I D	120° Longitude
	Code over E	
	A N T	Amt
	A N E	one
	Code over H	

Signals	Meaning
M	M
Code over H	
D E M	Den
N I S	Nie
Code over G	
B.Q.G.H	Provincetown Harbar

31 hoist Time 50 Minutes

Jan 24 — 19.9

Sender	Sig	Meaning
F Crowley	N G U	Forward the following information to
	C Q I	Headquarters
	K P V H	Str Lehigh
	A. E. I.	Sunk off or near
	B A E V	Nantucket
	[illegible] Z. L	Beach
	[illegible] E [illegible]	Sunday
	P V M	July
	code number U. [illegible]	19
	code under V. J	1000
	code under [illegible]	800
	code under U S	18 — 1818
	U J A	By the enemy
	X. B. I	Submarine boat
	[illegible] C V	Crew saved
	L Y Z.	enemy
	2. G V	When last seen
	C. O. M.	Was
	M X L	Fifteen
	U W N	Miles
	B. P. M.	From
	[illegible] A. H. E	Nantucket shoals L. V.
	[illegible] N P	Can not
	L. G. M.	Give
5' hours	S. H. I.	News

Sig	Meaning
S J Q	By
H L L	Cable
V R X	Sea
N I B	smooth
Z, E, L	wind
A [illegible]	S,S,W
N C G	Signed
H N C	Captain
Code over E	
G E O R	Gear
G E	ge
Code over H	
R	R
Code over H	
L O V E	Love
L A C E	lace

Time 1½ hour 41 hoist with help

Feb. 1 [illegible]

Sender	Signals	Meaning
Frank Crowley	C.V.X	Where is the Hospital
	C.D.I	In
	B.Q.Q.F	Vineyard Haven
	Code under V.E	27
	J.T.E.	State
	[illegible]	Street
	[illegible]	Chief of the state President Emperor King queen etc
	C.G.M	of
	B.L.M	Has or have
	A.T.	Boiler Burst men killed
	G.X.N	When more moderate
	E.U.X	Pull alongside
	[illegible]	I am a stranger here will you let me go ashore with you
	H.T.N	Calm the sea coming on it
	J.G.X	Centre of hurricane bears
	Code over C.B.	50 Latitude
	Code over G.E	70 Longitude
	J.K.X	Unless change takes place
	N.F.B	Floating Light
	W.E.M.	Very good remittance
	G.K.	Want provisions immediately
	N.L.U.	From a junction with
	U.S.Q.	Request permission

	Signals	Meaning
	AJX	Guns will not reach
	K.F.Z.	Current sets off shore
	X.H.N.	Does he or does it still survive
	NCG	Signed
	HLNC	Captain
	Code over E	
	FRan	Fran
	K	k
	Code over D	
	SE	Se
	E.L.	el
	E Y	ey
	Code over G	
	B.A.H.S.	Boston
37 Hoist	Time	1 hour 10 minutes

[illegible]

[illegible]	Signals	Meaning
[illegible]	J E	I am going to signal the contents of an important telegram to be communicated to you
	K D F V	Bk W. B. Flint
	[illegible] K	Owners desire me to inform you
	C B H	to go
	[illegible]	Long t
	F [illegible]	must take in more ballast
	E L K	and
	C B H	Go to
	Y E D	Turkish
	P T Q	island
	C N O	to ~~load~~
	Q X L	Load
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	T E X	sailed from
	T R N	september
	Code under U L	"
	Code over B T	Latitude 42°
	Code over F V	Longitude 60°
	A O Y	E. S. E
	C G M	off
	A J O T	New York
	J J X	Could not weather
	X A C	Struck by a heavy sea
	R A N	Lost

gnals	Meaning
[illegible]	[illegible] Coal
L.P.S.	During the gale
S [illegible]	Damaged rudder can not steer
Y P	Want a tug
H C E	Signed
H [illegible] C Code over E	Capt
A Code over H	A
E Code over H	E
H [illegible]	[illegible]
H E S Code over G	[illegible]
Code over [illegible] Code over E	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]
T~~[illegible]~~ N Code over G	tan
H E N	[illegible]
B A D Z	Gloucester Mass

46 Hoist Time 1 hour 10 minutes

March 27. 1919.

Sender	Signals	Meaning
F. F. Silva	S. N. L. G.	My draft of water is — feet forward,
Code flag under	U. R.	10
G. George	K. V. J.	You will have less than — feet of water.
Code flag under	U. P.	15
A. M. Dennis	Y. O.	I have only — days Provisions
Code flag under	V. F.	30
F. Crowly	P. B. C.	I have received information — is clear of ice.
	B. A. G. F.	Provincetown.
Brown	P. B. G.	Is the harbor at — free from ice.
	N. J. O. J.	New York.
R. L. Javers	N. H.	Fire or leak want immediate assistance.

April 15, 1919

Sender	Signals	Meanings
F. J. Silva	M.S.D.	I heard that some of your family were lying ill
J. George	E.C.V.	We had better alter course to W.N.W.
	A.S.H.	W.N.W.
Williams	H.D.J.	Made the passage in 30½ days.
Code flag under	V.J.	30
	B.H.J.	½
W. A. Lowe	W.N.D.	Steerage passenger for New York from Baltimore.
	A.B.O.J.	New York.
	A.J.D.J.	Baltimore Md.

April 18 [illegible]

Sender	Signals	Meaning
Frank E. Silvia	X A	Send following telegram to owners or to Mr at
Joseph Francis	CNRQ	John
	[illegible]	do
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible] G Q	State
	[illegible]	Street
	[illegible]	Boston Mass
Antone M[illegible]	[illegible]	Condenser broken damaged or out of order
Frank Crawley	R X T	your port of destination is closed your owners desire you to proceed to
A. A. Snow	[illegible]	New York
	[illegible]	Execute repairs

April 25, 1917

Sender	Signals	Meaning
Silva	R.S.F.V.	Bk. Flint.
	Y.L.	Wants immediate medical assitance
Dennis	G.J.N.M.	Submarine L-4.
	J.L.O.	At the nearest landing place
Crowley	L.G.D.M.	Sch. Baltimore
	F.C.W.	ashore
	F.L.A.	at
	B.A.G.F.	Provincetown Hr.
Snow.	L.C.K.R.	Str. S. Frank. Somers.
	D.W.E.	Air pump out of order.

May 16-19

Sender	Signals	Meaning
F. F. Silva	H. U. Q.	Your orders are Canceled
	F. C. A.	at
Code flag over	T. C. T.	3:00 P.M.
J. Francis	J. G. R.	What is course to
	A. G. Y. Q.	Santiago de Compostilla
A. M. Dennis	G. Q. O.	Is John on board
	C. N. G. W.	Jo.
	C. L. F. N.	Mr Jones
T. Crawley	E. F.	Best berth leave from me
	A. Y. F.	N. by E.

June, 6-19.

Sender	Signal	Meaning
Dennis	U.P.M.	Send a message
	C.U.O.	to
	A.Y.T.B.	Diamond Shoal S.T.V.
Crawley	W.G.B.	Do not stand too far to the
	W.G.S.	Starboard.
Snow	W.G.E.	Stand by to let go.
	T.E.P.R.	Hawser
James		
	W.H.F.	How are the friends at
	B.A.G.F.	Pennsylvania,
	F.U.S.	Bank.

June 12-14

Sender	Signals	Meanings
T.F. Silva	N.J.G.L.	Str. Mayflower.
	N.C.	Want immediate assistance instutan.
J. Frasar	W.B.H.	bound to be given up.
T. Crawly	O.	I am about to sail all persons important on board.
	F.A.a.	at
Code flag over	N.J.	3:00 P.M.
G.S. Williams	O.A.	I draw ^{13} feet aft and ^{10} feet forward at
Cord flg over	N.N.	13
Cord flg over	N.R.	10.

Signals

Sender	Signal	Meaning
F. A. Silva	H.W.[illegible]	Captain [illegible]
	V. R. K.	September
	[illegible].N.N.	Tenth.
J. Francis	[illegible]	Owners desires me to inform you
		[illegible]
	B.[illegible]	[illegible],
W. [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
J. George	C. B. E.	Want to [illegible] dead weight of cargo.
[illegible]	K. T.	[illegible].

July, 11-19

[illegible]	[illegible]	Meaning
[illegible]	E.C.T.	We had better alter course to -
	W.Q.S.	[illegible]
[illegible]	L.B.D.F.	Str. Standard ⚑
	H.C.K.	ashore
	S.a.H.	off.
	[illegible]	Race point.
[illegible]	H.B.D.	The breeze will die away
	[illegible]	At midnight.
[illegible]	~~R.U.S.~~ P.U.S.	There are No. mines laid
	L.O.R.	off
	B.R.U.S.	Boston, Mass.

July 11, '14.

Sender	Signals	Meaning
J. Francis	F. J.	[illegible]
	A. C. X.	[illegible]
J. George	[illegible]	[illegible] course living
	A. J. U.	[illegible]
	U. S.	West
A. M. Dennis	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
F. [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible] now Encounter [illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible] Boatswain [illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
		[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible] Institution

[illegible]

Persons.	Signals	Meaning
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Code flag man	[illegible]	[illegible]
J. [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
F. [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Code flag man	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
Code flag man	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Code flag man.	[illegible]	[illegible]

August 8-19.

Sender	Signals	Meanings.
Silva	F.D.N.	Send boat to assist
	N.S.N.B.	Str. Calvin Austin
Evans	F.N.E.	Wait for the attack
	F.C.A.	at
	A.V.T.X.	Coal O.
J. Francis	S.C.J.	Is it necessary: does the navigation require me to take a pilot.
	F.C.A.	at
	A.G.K.H.	Best
	A.F.X.J.	France.
J. Crowley	Q.W.L.	I cannot make out the flags. Hoist signals in a better position.

August 5-19

Sender	Signals	Meaning
Silva	C.M.U.	Can you spare me a chart of Boston,
	B.A.H.S.	Boston Mass.,
Snow	F.F.N.	Passed the mail $\frac{15}{1}$ days ago.
Code flag under	U.P.	10:
Francis	N.A.M.	Let your fires down
	F.C.J.	at midnight
Dennis	E.C.G.	Do not make any alteration untill
	P.T.H.	Midnight
Tower	S.C.P.S.	Str. S. Nelson.
	V.D.P.	Will not take any notice of signals
Snow.	U.X.T.	Rise and fall is about $\frac{15}{11}$ feet
Cod flag under	U.P.	10:

[illegible]

[illegible]	[illegible]	Meaning
[illegible]	[illegible] [illegible]	[illegible] the night between [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	Tell postmaster not to forward any more letters for me.
	[illegible]	Paymaster
[illegible]	M.W.D. [illegible] [illegible]	Fell in with the privateer ~~[illegible]~~ August [illegible]
Williams	H.S.G. [illegible]	Call at the post office for letters [illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible] [illegible]	Miss Mitchell will you [illegible] me Plymouth [illegible]
W. A. Snow	Y.S.G. T.W.V.	Request Permission to Proceed.

(August) 24.19.

Sender	Signals	Meaning
Rogers	H. A.	Is there any danger in — or England
	B.U.H.J.	Boston.
	U. E. H. R.	England
Williams	F. E. C.	Congress Parliament assembly (or other) Legislative body summons or adjourned on the 11, June
code flag under	U. S.	11.
J. J. Silva	H V. R.	Derelict reported passed on 32° S latitude 45° longitude E. Dangerous to navigation
	B. J.	S latitude 32°
	F. L.	Longitude 45° E.
J. Crawley	J. O.	I have only — days provisions
code flag under.	Y. F.	5.

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible] remain where you are [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
F. [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

[illegible]	[illegible]	i have received orders for you to discharge cargo at New yourk.
	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	arrived during the day.
[illegible]	[illegible]	has your ship entered at the custom house
[illegible] [illegible] wer	[illegible] K.T.	will [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] 3. hours or 3 P.M.

Oct-1-19

Sender	Signal	Meaning
J. Francis	A. U.	Boiler burst—Man—the wonder
Code flag under	M. F.	5
Code flag under	U. P.	15
J. Dixon	[illegible]	I shall go—[illegible] an hour till daylight.
code flag under	U. P.	30.
O. C. Towers	S. F. J. M. N. C.	Sch. Baltimore wants immediate assistance.
H. A. Snow	N. T. R. W. B. A. H. S.	there has been a drowning at Boston.

October-10-18.

[illegible]	[illegible]	Meaning
[illegible]	N.[illegible]	[illegible] vessel signaled off.
	D.N.E.[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	R.[illegible]	[illegible]
	S.[illegible]	[illegible]
	A.[illegible]U.	[illegible]
[illegible] Francis	E.Y.L.[illegible]	Due to arrive at —
Cocks flag over	N.I.	3-P.M.
" " "	M.V.	30. minutes
[illegible]	C.V.[illegible]	[illegible]
	P.D.H.	N. 53°E. magnetic bearing

Oct. 17-19

Sender	Signals	Meaning
J. Francis	S.H.M.	Nothing [illegible]
	F.D.A.	at
Code flag over	H. [illegible]	[illegible] P.M.
J. George	S.D.	No news of.
	K.D.J.G.	Str. Newburg.
G.S. Williams	U.O.D.	regular severy unnecessary
	F.D.A.	at
	D.J.G.	Coast Guard Station
F. Crawley	L.G.D.A.	Great neglect of duty
	F.D.A.	at
	O.J.D.	Headquarters

Oct. 22-19

Sender	Signals	Meaning
[illegible]	A. B. C.	Dip. your ensign.
	F. D. M.	at- noon
[illegible]	M. E. V.	Have you a — ensign
	E. F. C.	American
D. S. Williams	M. F. N.	At the entance of the
	O. M. N.	Harbor.
[illegible]	F. O. A.	Let your boats pull.
	O. Q. L.	N E.,
[illegible]	Y. J. N.	Want Provisions
	X. U. O.	To-Morrow.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	J. F. Y.	E.
	G. S. D.	W.

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] Williams	[illegible] [illegible]	[illegible] [illegible]
George	[illegible] X M C	[illegible] [illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible] [illegible] C. W. [illegible] [illegible]	[illegible] Adam Ashbee [illegible] [illegible]
J. Francis	H. G. F. 7 Cl. m.	The bugle will [illegible] at home

[illegible] 19.

Name	Signal	Meaning
[illegible]	F.M.D.	I want plank 10 feet long 11 ins. wide 2 inches thick
[illegible]	C.D.	[illegible]
	H.M.	[illegible]
	H.F.	[illegible]
[illegible]	C.W.	Light Ship at Chatham — want immediate assistance
	B.Q.E.G.	Chatham
[illegible]	G.H.C.	Shift your berth further to the West
	A.S.D.	West
[illegible]	A.N.B.	Good coal may be got at —
	B.G.H.P.	Boston

[illegible]

Sent	Signals	Meaning
J. Francis	G.N.S.	Can or will [illegible] or take me to [illegible]
	O.H.W.	Harbor.
W.M. D[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible] on crossing the bar.
	[illegible]	[illegible]
Code flag under	L.B.	11 or P.M.
G.S. Williams	L.V.C.	My draught of water is [illegible] feet 8 inches aft
Code flag under	U.K.	10
" " "	U.D.	8
F. Crawley	K.N.D.	The depth of water [illegible] 12 feet at low water
Code flag under	U.D.	8
	B.A.S.F.	[illegible]

Nov. 21-19.

[illegible]	Signal	Meaning
S. S. Silvia	J. N. G.	the Temperature by wet bulb 33° and by dry bulb is 43°
[illegible]	N. G.	33°
" "	N. F.	43°
R. M. S. [illegible]	E M. D.	Annul the last hoist indicate by numeral signal.
[illegible] under	D.	[illegible]
[illegible]	N. K. H.	I have carried away fore yard.
	G. K.	What is the meteorological forecast for to-day.
[illegible]	N. C. F.	[illegible] the names of [illegible] you wish to be reported by Telegraph.
	B. A. M. F.	[illegible]

Nov. 28-19

Sent	Signal	Meaning
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	L.C.O.	[illegible]
code flag over M.	A.Q.H.S.	177,5[illegible]
" " " O.	[illegible]	[illegible]
	X.G.M.	of
	H.Y.N.	Cargo.
W.U. Snow	C.B.E.	Want — tons lead weight cargo
code flag under	Y.V.	13.000
" " "	Y.E.	500
J. Francis	Y.T.M.	are you in wants of —
Code flag over M.	A.R.L.N.	18944
" " " O.	mineral	End.
	U.G.M.	of
	H.Y.N.	Cargo.
J. George	W.N.D.	Steerage Passengers or
	B.L.H.S.	Boston man.

[illegible]	A.B.C. X.B.H B.G.F.W. F.H.B.	Report the condition of Submarine Cape Cod. Bay.
[illegible]	C.B.F Y.W.E.	Pump Crosshead out of order repairs necessary.
J. S. Williams	[illegible] S.M.A.	Air Compressing Pump out of order
[illegible]	Y.O. F.X.U B.W.T.D.	Want permission immediately at station.
[illegible]	S.N. U.S.C. C.X.P.	Report yourself [illegible] [illegible].

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible] [illegible]	[illegible] [illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible] [illegible]	on the left bank of the river at [illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible] to come into three feet of water.
with flag under	N.P.	15
R. N. Dennis	[illegible]	Derelict reported passed on Lat. — long. — dangerous to navigation —
Red flag over	C.H.	55° Lat.
" " "	F. Q.	50° Lon.
[illegible]	[illegible] [illegible]	How many days since you passed Ves. S. Louise Rlt. Haul, bnd Boston,
[illegible] Francis	[illegible] [illegible]	[illegible] attention to signals Vessel seriously damaged with [illegible]
	[illegible]	Sent boat to take off the crew

Decoder

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
— Evans	A. D.	Do not have any communication with.
	V. G. L.	Coast [illegible] and Position
A. M. L. Lewis	D. H.	Enemy's torpedo boats have been seen to the Est/ rt steering to the nw
	A. F. U.	East
	A. S. D.	West
A. O. Travers	W. C. H.	Sister of the — mast.
	W. X. M.	fore.
J. F. Silva	W. S. F.	Ashall steering — during the night
	A. F. D.	north

[illegible] 3. 80

Sent	Signal	Meaning
A. M. D[illegible]	H. W. Y. R. T. H.	Capt will not return untill midnight
J. George	T. V. Y.	A visit from a roman catholic prist would be much valuable
G. S. William	G. K. L.	Can I get bill cashed here
W. A. Snow	V. E. Q.	I mean to carry [illegible]
A. C. Towers.	F. T. E.	Want ligtlers to take my cargo.
G. S. Williams cod. flag under	Q. T. E. U. P.	Have lost 15 head of cattle. 15

Jan,—15—29.

Sent	Signal	Meaning
Williams	F. P. H.	Lieutenant in the Naval Reserve.
[illegible]	[illegible]	Leave it for me at the rail-road.
[illegible]	[illegible]	Forward reply to my message by Telegraph to—
[illegible]	[illegible]	am desired to acquaint you.

[illegible] 21-20.

Sent	Signals	Meaning
Crawley	[illegible]	[illegible] boats ashore after dark.
Snow	H.A.O.	Bring the ships [illegible] close as possible
I. George.	A.V.F.	I will keep close to you during the night
Williams	H.A. B.T.H.S.	[illegible] be got at Boston Boston,
A.C. Farmer	I.G.C.	Propeller worked loose.
William	I.V.F.	What is the best [illegible] you will take

[illegible]

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	B C. F B	I have lost all my boats Bad weather
[illegible]	[illegible] F.Q.M.	I wish to see you on shore at noon
Francia	C. B. T. V. N. H.	About November the — tenth.
Conway	R. H. C.	My draught of water is $\frac{10}{11}$ feet — $\frac{5}{1}$ inches
Code flag under	H. K.	10 feet
" " "	N. F.	5 inch

Feb. 2-90.

Sent	Signal	Meaning
A. McDennis	J. B. U.	What colors shall we hoist.
J. George.	B. D.	Damage can be put to right-hm
Coil flag under	U. E.	=4
Snow	E. C. S.	I have hooked your anchor.
A.C. Powers	Y. J. F.	Visible from the masthead

Feb. 12-20.

Sent	Signal	Meaning
J. Thomas	N. M. F.	Telegraph to my family at the following message.
	B. A. H. S	Boston
J. George	P. C. X	Passengers or crew sick with infectious complaint.
J. [illegible]	P. F. R.	The vessel going about 10 miles an hour.
Circle flg under	Y. K.	=10.
	I. Y. S.	off the coast
	A. F. P. O.	Ireland.
Snow—	J. C. Q.	Becalmed [illegible] Cape [illegible] for 5 days.
Circle flag under	Y. F.	=5

Feb. 19-20

Sent	Signal	Message
J. Brown	T. F.	You are order to proceed to.
A. M. Davis	G. C. F.	Can fresh bef be procured
F Crawly	S. P.	Proceed in execution of previous orders
W. A. Snow—	J. S. M.	Stand ~~on~~ continue your present course

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	N. Y. B. A. & S. [illegible] P.	any sickness at Chatham Hospital
[illegible] Snow	N. Y. J. P. G. A F. A. A. F. V. P. M. P. H.	can't get any- time at the Bar Room
[illegible] Turner	E. O. S. A. Y. O.	any Day after To-morrow
[illegible] Evans	Da. J. F. W. M. C.	very anxious about Das M. Mystery

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible] [illegible] Fragment [illegible] [illegible]
	B.H.	Bound.
J. Francis	[illegible]	I have [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
code flag number	M.N.	
F Crawly	H.N.F. B.A.M.C.	Request captain [illegible] [illegible] Portland Me.
Snow	X H.M. N.J.F.	Where is the captain [illegible] [illegible]

March 11-20

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	Can I get a spar main mast at
	[illegible]	main
	[illegible]	Portland, Me.
[illegible]	[illegible]	Commanding officer desires.
	J. F. P.	communication
[illegible]	[illegible]	Have you seen derelict
	[illegible]	Dangerous
	[illegible]	No
	[illegible]	[illegible]

[illegible]

Name	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	A.S.P. [illegible]	[illegible] [illegible]
Cole [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible] [illegible]	[illegible] [illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible] [illegible]	[illegible] [illegible]
D. Francis	P.	[illegible] to [illegible] Atkinson [illegible]

March-25-20

Sender	Signal	Meaning
J. Francis	G.F.C. K.M.P.H.	Fire has broken out on board of Margaret
A.M. Dennis	L.G.P.V. W.D.P.	Gas § Holden Evans on Fire
code flag over	L.P.	34° N. Latitude
Crawly	K.G.W.H. W.D.P.	S.G. Wilden on Fire
code flag over	F.J.	50° W. Longitude
W.A. Brown	K.M.F.J. F.C.W.	Sch. Josephine ashore
Code flag over	D.B.	75° E. Longitude

[illegible] 6-3-20

Sender	Signal	Meaning
F.F. Silva	[illegible] K.M.J.N.	After the departure of — Str John Wise.
J. George		
	K.S.C. V.S.B.	No demand for — service.
Steamer Code flag [illegible]	J.H.T. W.A.	I am using variation of degs. 50
A.V. a Snow	D.L.P. R.S.T.	Most water is in the channel Midships

[illegible]

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	B. L.	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible] all assistance possible
Sevier	F. P.	Bad weather is expected.
Crandy	B. J.	Want a boat; man overboard.
A.C. Tavers	[illegible]	[illegible]

[illegible]

Sender	Signal	Meaning
F. Crandy	M. Y. H	Can I get a spar for fore Mast at
	B. A. H. S.	Boston.
W. A. Brown	L. F.	Get her on the other tack or git her head around or you well be on shore.
Williams	A. C. D.	you will find great difficiulty getting through the ice at
	B. A. D. M.	Portland Me.
R. M. Dennis	S. P.	I have received instructions for you not to proceed

April-23-20

Vessel	Signals	Meaning
[illegible]	W.F.U.	Passed the steamer Mail days 10 go
	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] France	[illegible]	[illegible]
Code flag [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
N.A. [illegible]	P.H.U.	[illegible] water
Code flag [illegible]	[illegible]	20
	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	Get away
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
A. B. [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible] [illegible]	Report the [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

May 28-20

Sent	Signals	Meaning
J. George	D.S.F.	Who are the best agents to do business with.
B. [illegible]	H.R.F.	I am obliged to slip my cable [illegible]
F.F. [illegible]	H.P.Q.	Slip your cable and buoy the end.
J. Francis	H.S.[illegible]	Call at the Postoffice for Mail.

[illegible]

Sender	signal	meaning
7 Crawig	G.V.F.	Are all your Bills of Lading complete and signed
[illegible]	C.N.	Convoy to keep on port side of leader escort.
Pvt. Davis	E.M.B.	Can you await for answer or reply.
J. Francis	I.D.C.	What sort of voyage or passage have you had.

June 11-20

Sender	Signal	Meaning
J. George	E. T. O.	Do not approch too near.
A. M. Dennis Code flag under	E. Y. W. K. Q.	Will airrived at 9-:00 P.M.
G. S. Williams	S. V. A.	Your orders have not arrived yet,
F. Crawley	E. Y. D. R. T. H.	Due to arrived at Midnight.

[illegible]

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
J. [illegible]	G. A. L.	Lost screw propeller
	C. D. W.	do
	C. A. S. F.	Provisions, #2.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	F. H. E.	astern
[illegible] Haines	A. G. F.	Provisions Postponed until —
	S. H. L.	next Month
[illegible]	[illegible]	Several officers
	C. G. M.	do
	[illegible]	Naval reserve.

July 25

Sender	Signal	Meaning
J. George	W.O.X. X.N.Y.	Last death on the Tenth.
F.F. Silvia	W.F.B. H.Y.N.	[illegible] - Frozen meat cargo.
F. Cranmy	C.I.D. Circle over S.P.	I have — hours coal for full speed = 24 hours.
D.A. Williams	N.T.T. Circle over B.Q.H.S. Circle over N.S.	Funeral takes place at — and at — [illegible] = 2 in P.M.

July 2 1880

[illegible]	[illegible]	Meaning
[illegible]	J. B.S.	My first meridian is East of Greenwich 20°20'15" = 1 h. 9 m. 21 8.
J. George	D. J. G.	Tjarona or Tiarone.
P.M. Turner	steel ones A	Ships have to or come nearer; I have something important to communicate.
[illegible] M. Clains	[illegible]	Do not pass ahead of me.
J. Crowley .	P.M. J. F.	St. Paul Cl.

Sender	Signals	Meaning
J. Francis	C. W.	Light ship at Wood Shoal want immediate assistance.
	B. a. C. R.	Woods Hole.
G. S. Williams	R. T. F. K C M	When does the next mail arrive here
F. Crawley	F. R. D. F. Q. Y.	To be attack at Sunrise.

[illegible]	[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]	[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible]	L. E. O. [illegible]	Passed a war vessel disguised funnel Black
[illegible]	F. T.) Code flag over D. B.	Have sunk a vessel N. 75° O.
7. [illegible]	[illegible] [illegible]	[illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]	[illegible]	
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible] reported passed on [illegible] longitude [illegible] navigation [illegible]
	Code flag [illegible] B. 7.	28° Latitude
	Code flag [illegible] 7. B	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible] Code flag [illegible] V. B.	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible] Code flag [illegible] V. B.	[illegible] will [illegible] 26.
[illegible]	1. 7. E.	Vessel indicated was detained until bound at
	B. A. 3. 7.	[illegible] 22.

July-30-1920.

[illegible]	Signals	Meaning
F. F. [illegible]	F. L. D. [illegible]	J. C. Donnell.
	F. C. W.	Ashore
	F. J. E.	Every assistance will be given
[illegible]	[illegible]	J. W. Terry Port Richmond N. Y.
[illegible]	code flag over 8. [illegible] code flag over 9.	[illegible] Pilgrim [illegible]

Aug 6-19

[illegible]	Signal	Meaning
J. Francis	cod flag over G. U.	= 1,000,000.
	B. C. J.	Powdown lb.
A. C. Dennis	code flag over M. R. Q. O.	= 88,[illegible]
	code flag over [illegible]	
J. Towne	G. K. Y.	Thi [illegible]
	code flag over M. A. Q. B. V.	= 1920.
	cod flag over O.	
W. A. Brown	code flag over M. A. Q. R. W.	1.988,000
	G. B. E.	Heavy weight

Aug 3-79

Sent	Signal	Meaning
Shira	J.D.N. J.D.W.	For consideration of Commanding officer.
F. Grady	Y.D.G.	With the following information
A.C. Farrar	Y.F.C. F.C.X.	Can I procure any beef.
A.W. Davis	J.A.Y. B.A.H.S.	Collier to proceed to Boston.

[illegible]

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
F. F. Silva	Y. M. L. C. W. T.	Can I telephone to Shore
[illegible]	P. N. V.	Submarine signal bell.
C. M. Dennis	code flag order Y. Q. P. W. L.	 =4 O'clock
[illegible]	T. L. K. P. J. Y.	Place yourself Wrong.

[illegible]

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	C.G.H. [illegible]	[illegible] to [illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible] [illegible]	[illegible] [illegible]
[illegible]	coll. mem. [illegible] F. [illegible]	[illegible] [illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]	[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Sept. 2-70.

Sent.	Signal	Meaning
J. Francis	H. E.	Owners desire me to inform you to Coal at
	B. A. H. S.	Boston.
A.M. Dennis	P. F. S.	When does the Mail arrive
	B. A. G. F.	Provincetown.
F. [illegible]	J. F.	A derelict reported off — or in the vicinity
	B. A. E. M.	Nantucket
	B. A. F. M.	Pollock Rip
W. A. [illegible]	S. J. S.	Saw the enemy fleet steering
	A. S. N.	N.W. by N.

[illegible]	Signal	[illegible]
[illegible]	U.W.D. [illegible] A.V.	Read [illegible] On [illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible] [illegible]	Come & refit at Plymouth
[illegible]	[illegible] [illegible]	Received an answer at Midnight
[illegible]	U.G.F. [illegible]	Race postponed untill [illegible]

[illegible]

Sent	Signal	Meaning
F. H. [illegible]	M. W. B.	I have had cases of yellow fever on board.
[illegible] Francis	M. O. H.	[illegible] has been [illegible]
A. M. [illegible]	H. J. L.	When the [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible]	S. F. M.	At my own [illegible]

Feb. 24-1920

Name	Signal	Meaning
F. H. Pike	Q.F.X. F.C.W.	Government Steamboat— ashore
[illegible]	V.P.J. J.S.R.	Send more Cross cut saws
A.C. [illegible]	S.J.C. E.N.F.	Send your address to Army service Corps
W.R. Snow—	G.X.A.	Had only — boiler severcecon

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Sender	Signal	Meaning
A. C. Jones	B. E. J.	You are
	L. O. N.	doing well.
J. Francis	O. G. X.	Center of hurricane bears
	A. R. L.	S. E.
T. M. Dunn	G. R. J.	Boat sunk.
	B. A. G. F.	Provincetown, [illegible]
J. George	M X C.	Few hurt
	C. Y. X.	on board
	K. G. J. R.	Str. Rose City.

[illegible]		
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible] Officer [illegible] [illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible] [illegible] make [illegible]
	[illegible] [illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible] with [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]

[illegible] 27 [illegible]

Sent	Signal	Meaning
H. C. [illegible]	O.T.H. A.T.P.	[illegible] [illegible]
[illegible]	N.E.T.	[illegible] will you cross the line?
F. [illegible]	[illegible] F. [illegible]	Without risk on the right bank of the river.
[illegible] F. [illegible]	[illegible] [illegible] 4 [illegible]	Castern [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
L [illegible]	[illegible]	How long have you been in [illegible]

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible] — Lat
		[illegible]
	evid. flag	[illegible]
	M. B.	15
	M. F.	25
[illegible] F. [illegible]	J. P. H.	[illegible]
	C. G. M.	of
	[illegible]	Coast [illegible]
	evid. flag	[illegible]
	V. X.	33.
F. [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible] 75 part of [illegible]
	evid. flag	[illegible]
	X. A.	75
J. [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	W. F. A.	[illegible]

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	P. L.	[illegible] of the [illegible] of a wreck.
	R.M.W.	N. 84° W.
F. F. [illegible]	D.M.G. code [illegible] P.T.	At [illegible] o'clock. [illegible] = 3 P.M.
C. Francis	F.N.	Have you seen or heard of a Vessel or in distress.
F. [illegible]	P.B.[illegible]	[illegible]
	Q.F.[illegible]G.	[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]	Signals	Meaning
[illegible]	L.J.	Enemy
	X.B.H	Submarine
	[illegible]	Have or has been [illegible] or seen
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	Nantucket
[illegible]	[illegible]	Becalmed off Boston for [illegible] days
	[illegible]	Boston
	Code flag over U.K.	10
[illegible]	K.	Pilot boat most likely on 71°
	Code over	on — off
	C.X	71° latitude
	D.A.F.E.	Nantucket shoals L.V.

Dec 17 1920

Vessel	Signals	Meaning
J Francis	R.S.H.	Metrorological report for to day maderate winds from SW direction
	U.R.U.	S.W.
Snow	K U L	I shall go about 10 Miles an hour till daylight
	Code under U K	10
F F Silvia	Y U D	Keep on lee beam 1/4 [illegible]
	B D M	1/4.

[illegible] Dec 27 – 1920

[illegible]	Signals	Meaning
[illegible]	N.Q.L	Pilot jack when spoken of
"	A.P.N.W.	Bering Sea
L. Francis	S Y	Owners desire me to inform you to discharge cargo just at — place next indicated
	B.U.E.D.	Bass River
J W Perry	Q.C	Keep the light between — bearing indicated
	A.R.U.	S W

[illegible]

Sender	Signal	Meaning.
F. Francis	F.L.J.	Pay no attention to me
	C.E.D.	Me
J. Perry	Q.C.	Your port, endeavor to beach where people
	F.P.U.	Are assembled or as pointed out by compass signal from you
	A.F.E.	N.½E.
W.A. Snow	X.N.J.	How Many Tons
	B.N. E.	Can you
	N.J.R.	Take
	B.P.L.	for me

Jan. 7-21

[illegible]	Signal	Remarks
J. [illegible]	[illegible] H. T.	Came [illegible] examination of degrees.
	circle flag under C. M. [illegible]	
J. A. Perry	M. F. S. C. S. Y.	C. S. entrance — Clear.
J. Francis	[illegible]	Not without compensation
R. E. [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible] have not come yet for —
	C. W. T.	[illegible]

Nov 2/81

Sender	Signal	Message
F. J. Silvia	C. U. H. A. F. Y. J.	Cruiser at east coast of Francis.
Francis	[illegible]	Blow off cock in gear,
J. N. Perry	O. Y. X.	Close line to communicate
A. C. Towers	J. E. J. W. U. Y.	Commander in cheif is sick.

[illegible] 78

[illegible]	W. N. E. A. E. M. H.	Steerage Passenage for Plymouth
W. E. [illegible]	E. R. S. A. F. H.	Apparently shoal water the East
J. A. Perry	S. F. H.	[illegible] the electric light on
J. A. Perry	J. G. L.	Feed check valve out of order
N. E. Lowerd	W. W.	Hoist the Blue Peter

Sender	Signal	Meaning
[illegible]	F. E.	Light ships at Nantucket is out [illegible] or light ship is not at anchor on her station
	B. A. F. E.	Nantucket Mass.
[illegible]	[illegible] code [illegible] N. W.	[illegible] =10
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible] code [illegible] N. W.	you will not have [illegible] feet of water =10

[illegible] 1891

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	Have shipwrecked crew on [illegible] will [illegible] let me transport [illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	13. [illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	7. [illegible]	[illegible]
	4 D. C.	until
	11 W. N.	March.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	9 P.M.
	[illegible]	7. 10 W.

April 22/92

Sender	Signals	
[illegible]	J. F. A. L. O. J.	[illegible] orders for you to discharge at New York.
F. F. Silva	E. X S.	Arrived during thick fog.
C. George	N. J. F. [illegible] [illegible]	Will take — to complete. [illegible]

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[illegible]	Wind	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	Keep on port tack During the night.
[illegible]	[illegible]	My Name is —
[illegible]	[illegible]	
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	Nearly clear of Bar.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible] adrift of Portland Me.

[illegible]

Sender	Signal	Meaning
[illegible]	H. [illegible] E.	[illegible] cap.
	[illegible]	Broken.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	W. B. E.	Has lost her rudder.
[illegible]	R. A. [illegible]	Lost sight of wreck.
	B. O. G.	3.
	E. G. A.	Miles from
	B. A. H. S.	Boston.
F. F. Silvia	G. S. Y.	Lost all propeller blades
	B. D. F.	4 or 5 inch.
	A. W. O	Miles
	A. C. C.	South
	S C K.	off.
	B. A F. G.	Hull Point.

[illegible]

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	D. F.	[illegible]
[illegible]	H. L. W.	[illegible]

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	A.	[illegible]
[illegible]	S.	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible] passed steamer [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]

[illegible]

Speaker	Signal	Meaning
J. [illegible]	W.Y.R. Y.C.Y.	Lift of the [illegible]
J. F. [illegible]	Y.C.L.F. F.C.L.W.	Make more sail At sunset
R. C. [illegible]	C.M.E. F.C.B.	More hands [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	P. J. Y.	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	B. B. A.	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]

Nov. 10, 1924

Sender	Signal	Meaning
Francis	CJZH VUM	About July the tenth
Silvia	DFE (code under U.S.)	Have lost — head of cattle 15
Travers	QCMN RUHS	Letters received from — Boston
Rogers	DCJ	Storm centering — ~~West~~ probable course toward —
	ASK	West
	AUK	North.

Nov. 23, 1921

Sender	Hoist	Meaning
[illegible]	E.H.G.	American
	V.D.Q.B.	Schooner
	Code pennant	Whaling barque
	V.S.Q.L.	[illegible]
	S.C.W.V.	[illegible] (Code pennant [illegible] left out)
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]
	E.H.	[illegible]
	V.C.A.	[illegible]ing
	Code pennant [illegible]	[illegible]
	S.C.W.L.	[illegible]
	Code pennant [illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible]	[illegible]d.
Silva	Q	[illegible] wreck [illegible] could not render any assistance [illegible]
	S.K.U.	November
	V.S.U.	Seventh
	Code over E.V.	70° Latitude
	Q.H.X	North "
	Code pennant E.4	3?0 Longitude
	Q.G.X	West "
J. A. [illegible]	S.Q	I have received orders for you to
		an [illegible] instruction from [illegible] at
	A.Z.O.D.	[illegible]

Nov. 25, 1921.

Sender	Hoist	Drawing
	S.J.	Coal – at canal
J. V. Perry.	A.T.H.	#10.
	B.&K. Co	Philadelphia

Dec. 2, 1921

Sender	Hoist	Meaning.
	HSA	Alt.
Q.H.E. [illegible]	Code over LTH	3 am
and	RXLY	Monday
J.V. [illegible]	FHEU	June
	YEG	21st.
	Code under YJ	1000
	Code under YD	900
	Code under HDL	21 — 1921
	GQLH	when
	Code under IFA	100
	Code under IHA	50 150
	AQY	ESE
	YBG	true
	FGM	of
	HUFE	Nantucket shoals Lt. Vessel
	TGN	passed
	ESY	flat bottomed boat.
[illegible]	NGE	Signed
	JHY	Commanding Officer.

Mar. 8, 1921

Sender	Hoist	Meaning
	DAH	My draft of water is — feet — inches forward
F. H. Silvia	Code under U.K.	10
	Code under U.E.	6
	CUL	Boiler burst — men killed — others wounded
J. Francis	Code under UK	10
	Code under W	1[illegible]
	DHGT	American str. Liberty Land
	QDQ	Leaking
	Code under V.M.	37
H. A. Snow	ADBW	miles
	SUK	off
	CQBW	Block Island

Dec. 30, 1921

Sender	Hoist	Meaning
	QHB.	Batt. ship California
	QTK	struck by lightning
Snow H.C.	BH	damag[illegible] [illegible] tonight.
		[illegible]
	[illegible] EC.S.	6
	EIG	Have all your anchors and
		cables ready for use,
J. Francis	FSP	as soon as flood tide makes,
	ELK	and,
	FGI	I will assist you.

Jan 6, 1922

Sender	Hoist	Meaning
	Code under	
J. Francis	Q. F.	40000
	Code under 2 J.	7000
	Code under 2 J. C	300
	Code under 2 E	29
	C H D	.8
	B C H.	.08
		47329.88
	Code under	
J. A. Perry	Q E.	30000.
	Code under 2 F M	4000.
	Code under 2 E	700.
	Code under 2 C	88.
	B 4 A	.2
	B C F	.05
		34788.25

Jan. 17, 1922.

Sender	Hoist.	Meaning.
	JARJ	There has been a collision between
	VJD	Schooner
	Code over E.	Alph. sig. begin
	MARY	Mary
	Code over F	End of word.
	P	P.
	Code over H.	Hol. between initials
Gr. H. Silva	Goul	Goul
	ARH	art., Mary P. Goulart.
	ELK	and
	KMPJ.	Str. Tamaqua.
	Code under UAm	12
	UAH	mile
	CURE	S E 1/2 S.
	BPL	rom
	RWCRJ.	Boston Lt. Vessel
	HEQ	Damage assessed at
	Code under GS	1000
	4EC	500
	DVA	50 10550
	CAJ	dollars
	PKE	inform owners
	ELK	and
	HQB	send immediate assistance
	DKG	signed
	AWC	Captain.

Feb. 3, 1922

Sender	Hoist	Meaning
	KVR	Derelict reported passed on — latitude ~~42° 24' 15"~~ ~~North~~, longitude, dangerous to navigation
M.L. Dunn-	Code over BT	42°
	Code over MP	24'
	Code over QU	15"
	QAX	N. latitude
10 min'	Code over LD	70°
	Code over MC	12'
	Code over QH	4"
	QZI	W. longitude
	BJP	You were not to be
	QE[illegible]	caught
J. Francis	[illegible]	at any time
	SHK	near the [illegible]

Feb. 10, 1922

Sender	Hoist	Meaning
	Codeover E.	Alph. Sig. begin.
	FUR	Fur
	WES	nes } Furness
	S	s
	Codeover ES.	Alph sig. ended
J. V. Perry	LUI	Line
	Codeover E.	Alph sig begin
A. H. Rogers	TAIS	This
WTE - Steamer	TLE	the } Thistlemore
	MORE	more
	Codeover ES.	Alph sig. ended.
	CHI	in.
	KLA	dangerous position.
	MJE	every precaution has been taken
	BPA	for
	KCJ	crews
	VDH	safety
	FAB	as
	FP	bad weather is expected.

Furness Line Steamer Thistlemore in dangerous position, every precaution has been taken for crews safety as bad weather is expected.

Apr. 12, 1922.

Sender	Hoist	Meaning.
	DWPC.	Four masted schooner
	GXDF	arrived during the night
	SKHC.	have notified
A. G. Tower	KGDF	Custom office
	H. PD	by telegraph.

Apr. 25, 1922.

Sender	Hoist	Meaning
	HQD	Address my letters to me at –
	AZHGF	Baltimore Md.
A. Lewis	YLS	until further orders
	NCG	Signed
	J.HY	Commanding Officer

Oct 6, 1922.

Sender	Word	Meaning
J. J. [illegible]	BZ.I	If it cannot be done
	CHK	with
	AEQ.	Retain patent covering apparatus
	YHE	report by telegraph
	CNC	to
	Codeword E	Alpha eq begin
	F.	Th
	Codeword H	dot between initials
	J.	J
	Codeword K	dot " "
	Tan	The
	[illegible]	with [illegible]
	Codeword N	Alpha eq ended
	[illegible]	address
	[illegible]	Regards [illegible]

Oct. 13, 1922.

Sender	Hoist	Meaning
F. F. Silva	GWN	Unknown
	VJK	three masted schooner
	ADL	Northeast
	Code under JLK	10
	LGI	miles from
	BAFW	Cape Cod
	QTF	lighthouse
	NOB.	[illegible]

Oct. 15, 1922

[illegible]	Word.	Meaning
[illegible]	KEL	I have received orders for you not to proceed to — on account of ice
	BCSMR	Bath, Me.
	UVL	return
	FQB	as soon as possible
	CAU	to
	OQUF	Baltimore, Md.
	WGG	Signed
	QIK	Lloyds

Oct. 26, 1923

Sender	Hoist	Meaning
Rich, J.	LFAV.	American, Str [illegible]
	ULDQ	in quarantine
	Code under QA	75
	MWQ	have been ill with yellow fever.
	HKQ	Foreign going ship.
A. C. Tavers	HBT	sighted
	H S [illegible]	[illegible]
	ALV	E1/2 south
	BAFE	Nantucket Shoals Lt. Vessel
	GSW	bearing
	AHE	147°